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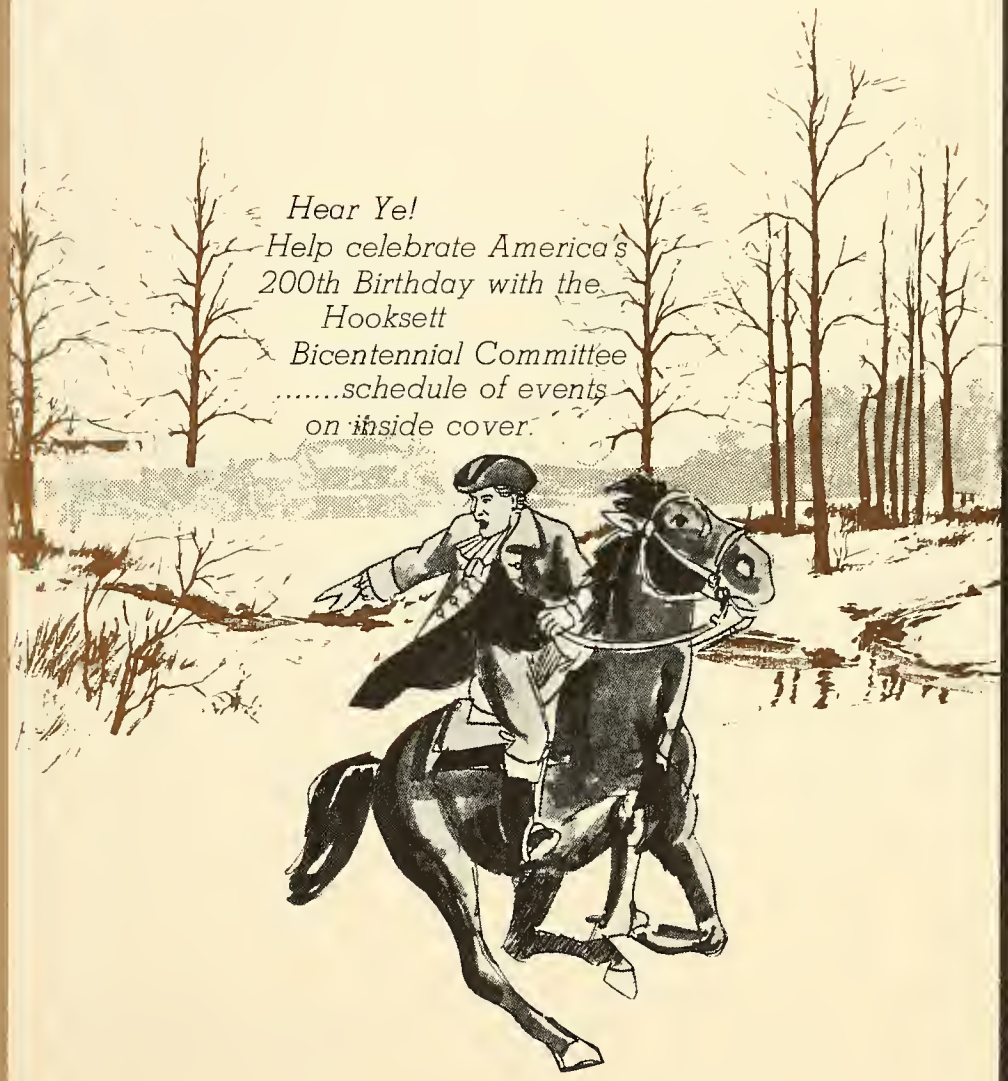

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1975 TOWN REPORT

Schedule of Events for Bicentennial Year Celebration in Town of Hooksett

April 18, 1975
- Enactment of Paul Revere's Ride sponsored by Bicentennial Executive Committee (Hollis Cate, rider).

May 17, 1975
- Mark Otterson & Dave Conant carried Hooksett Banner in Manchester's Bunker Hill Parade, sponsored by Historical Society.

June 14, 1975
- Ceremony held at Milestone on Route 3 & Granite St., sponsored by Historical Society.

June 17, 1975
- Wayne Robie represented Hooksett at ceremonies held at Bunker Hill, sponsored by Historical Society.

July 5, 1975
- Patriot's Ball held at Mt. St. Mary College, sponsored by Men's Club.

July 6, 1975
- Bicentennial Community Charter & Flag Presentation at Donati Field.
  Field Day sponsored by Hooksett Militia.
  Tennis Tournament sponsored by Steve & Pat Morrison.

August 2, 1975
- Pinacle Cup Race, sponsored by Pinacle Fish & Game.

September 21, 1975
- American Issues Forum "A Nation of Nations: Native & Immigrant Americans in N. H." sponsored by Mt. St. Mary College.

October 18, 1975
- Firemen's Ball, Bicentennial Theme

October 19, 1975
- American Issues Forum "The Land of Plenty: Use & Abuse,", sponsored by Mt. St. Mary College.

October 23, 1975
- Flag raising ceremony to mark completion of Arah Prescott Library Matching Funds Project, sponsored by Historical Society.

October 26, 1975
- Bicycle Maraihon, Sponsored By Lions Club.

November 15, 1975
- Bicentennial Fair, sponsored by Hooksett Village PTA.

November 16, 1975
- American Issues Forum "Certain Unalienable Rights: Equal Protection under the Law," sponsored by Mt. St. Mary College.

November 25, 1975
- Bicentennial Service, sponsored by Congregational Church.

December 14, 1975
- American Issues Forum "A More Perfect Union: In Congress Assembled," sponsored by Mt. St. Mary College.

December 14, 1975
- Christmas Party, sponsored by Liberty Belles

January 1, 1976
- Bicentennial New Year's Eve Ball, sponsored by Men's Club.

January 18, 1976
- American Issues Forum "Working in America: Enjoying the Fruits of Labor," sponsored by Mt. St. Mary College.

February 15, 1976
- American Issues Forum "America in the World: A Nation among Nations, sponsored by Mt. St. Mary College.

February 21, 1976
- George Washington's Birthday Dance, sponsored by Men's Club.

March 21, 1976
- American Issues Forum "Growing Up in America: The American Family," sponsored by Mt. St. Mary College.

April 25, 1976
- American Issues Forum "Lite, Liberty, and the Pursuit of Happiness: The Fruits of Wisdom," sponsored by Mt. St. Mary College.

April 30, May 1, May 2, 1976
- Women's Club Annual Show, Bicentennial Theme.

May 15, 1976
- Dedication of Arah Prescott Historical Library (Bicentennial Matching Fund Grant Project), sponsored by Historical Society.

May 15, 1976
- Citizen of the Year Dance-Bicentennial Theme, sponsored by Men's Club.

May 30, 1976
- Parade, sponsored by American Legion.

July 4, 1976
- Participation by Hooksett Bicentennial Groups in Manchester Parade.

August 7 - August 15
- First Annual Hooksett Old Home Week, Bicentennial Celebration Week:
  7th - Congregational Church Street Fair
  7th - Pinacle Fish & Game Canoe Race
  8th - Church Services
  15th - Pageant, Parade
  Other activities planned for this week: Firemen's Muster
  Bicentennial Ball
  Bridge Dedication
  Belle's Costume Awards
  Closing of a Time Capsule

Hooksett Liberty Belles plan monthly activities with final event during Old Home Week.

Hooksett Militia will be sponsoring events throughout the year.

Hooksett Grange are planning a Pet Show for Spring '76.

BICENTENNIAL EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Co-Chairmen - Harrison Rollins, Leo Belisle

Treasurer - David Poisson
Secretary - Pauline Pellerin
Publicity - Don Martineau, Fran Roux

Advisory - Sr. Amy Hoey, Bernice Morgan
Bernadette Chevrette, Ed Otterson
Charles Hardy, Sue Dionne, Ruth Blakely

Annual Reports of

Selectmen, Town Treasurer, Board of Education, School Treasurer, Trustees of Public Library, Board of Health, Vital Statistics, etc., of the Town of Hooksett, N.H.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING

DECEMBER 31, 1975

Population, Office of Planning Director	6808
Net Taxable Valuation	40,848,873
Tax Rate, Town	4.83
Central Precinct	.12
Village Precinct	.22

VITAL STATISTICS

	1960	1970	1973	1974	1975
Births	57	80	66	73	59
Marriages	43	73	85	94	85
Deaths	55	45	49	59	47

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THE
NEW ENGLAND
COUNCIL

STATLER OFFICE BUILDING
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Ms. Joyce A. Emerson
Town Clerk
Town Hall
Hocksett, N. H.

Dear Ms. Emerson:

We are pleased to advise you that your 1973-1974 Annual Report has been selected as the Honorable Mention winner in Class IV in the 30th Annual Municipal Report Awards Contest. These awards are given for excellence in reporting municipal activities, and take into account general attractiveness, readability by the average citizen, and contribution to citizen understanding of local government.

As you may know, your nomination for the New England contest came about as a result of your community's selection for an award in the judging in your own state contest. Once the winners have been selected in each state, they become eligible for the New England Awards Contest, held under the auspices of the New England Council. The competition in this contest is keen, and winning is a sign of progessional competence, that you, your employees and the citizens of your community should recognize and find gratifying.

The Judges were: Mr. Harry H. Baldwin III, Vice President, New England Merchants National Bank; Mr. Gerald Powers, Professor, Boston University, School of Public Communication; and Mr. William A. Mooney, Price Waterhouse and Company.

Once again, The New England Council would like to thank you for participating and to congratulate you for your fine showing in this contest. Your certificate will be forwarded to you in a few days.

Very truly yours,

Ronald E. Flagg
Director
Government Affairs

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ADVANCING ALL FACETS OF NEW ENGLAND'S ECONOMY

Certificate of

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in recognition of its superior standards of informing citizens and taxpayers about municipal activities and of providing them an effective basis to appraise the value of services furnished by local officials elective and appointive as displayed in their official

Town Report

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OFFICERS ASSOCIATION

Town Officers . . . Commissioners . . . Committeemen

Selectmen

Ray F. Langer	Term Expires Mar. 1976
Lowell D. Apple	Term Expires Mar. 1977
Oscar A. Morin, Jr.	Term Expires Mar. 1978

School Board

James Van Vliet	Term Expires Mar. 1976
Robert Collins	Term Expires Mar. 1977
Leo Sack	Term Expires Mar. 1978

Sewer Commissioners

Richard Hatch	Term Expires Mar. 1976
Everett Hardy	Term Expires Mar. 1976
Merle Blakeley	Term Expires Mar. 1978

Town Clerk & Tax Collector

Joyce A. Emerson	Term Expires Mar. 1978

Deputy Clerk & Tax Collector

Barbara Johnson

Treasurer

Elaine M. Garon	Term Expires Mar. 1976

Deputy Treasurer

Virginia Duford

Overseer of Public Welfare

Charles Woodbury	Term Expires Mar. 1976

Health Officer

Robert Channing

Building Inspector

Eugene Fraser

Police Chief

Maurice Boisvert

Police Commission

Warren Harvey Chm.	Term Expires Oct. 1976
William S. Tassie	Term Expires Oct. 1977
Robert J. Normandeau	Term Expires Oct. 1978

Civil Defense Director

William H. Shackford
Harold Murray, Ass't. Dir.

Village Fire Dept. #1

Chief Alfred Collerette

So. Hooksett Fire Dept. #2

Chief Alfred Law

Parks & Recreation

Frederick Owen	Term Expires Mar. 1976
Lewis Goodwin	Term Expires Apr. 1977
George Longfellow	Term Expires Feb. 1980
Edward Breen	Term Expires June 1980
Robert Vincent	Term Expires Apr. 1979

Conservation Commission

Alfred Lambert	Term Expires Apr. 1976
Charles Gassek	Term Expires Apr. 1976
Richard Leven	Term Expires Apr. 1976
George Browning, Jr.	Term Expires June 1977
Wendell Berry	Term Expires June 1977
James Hall	Term Expires June 1978

Inspector of Elections

Doris Riley	Term Expires Oct. 1976
Theodore Lavertue	Term Expires Oct. 1976
Bertha Beauchesne	Term Expires Oct. 1976
Edith Rice	Term Expires Oct. 1976
Lillian Zapora	Term Expires Oct. 1976
Lee Harvey	Term Expires Oct. 1976

Library Trustees

Barbara Johnson	Term Expires Mar. 1976
Donald H. Richards	Term Expires Mar. 1977
Nancy Barrett	Term Expires Mar. 1978

Budget Committee

William Greenough	Term Expires Mar. 1976
James Perkins	Term Expires Mar. 1976
Lee Harvey	Term Expires Mar. 1976
Gerald Beauchesne	Term Expires Mar. 1977
Gerry Handley	Term Expires Mar. 1977
David Hess	Term Expires Mar. 1977
Roger Bergeron	Term Expires Mar. 1978
John Jacobs, Jr.	Term Expires Mar. 1978
David Shaw	Term Expires Mar. 1978

Trustee of Trust Funds

Bertha Page	Term Expires Mar. 1976
Anna Boisvert	Term Expires Mar. 1977
Leon Boisvert	Term Expires Mar. 1978

Supervisors of Check List

Carol A. Desilets	Term Expires Nov. 1976
Frances Hebert	Term Expires Nov. 1978
Philip Lafond	Term Expires Nov. 1980

Representatives to General Court

Laurent Boucher	Term Expires Nov. 1976
Judith Hess	Term Expires Nov. 1976
Doris Riley	Term Expires Nov. 1976

Road Agent

Bernard M. Zapora	Term Expires Mar. 1976

Moderator

Richard D. Riley	Term Expires Nov. 1976

District Court

Paul Kfoury, Ass't. Judge

Clerk of District Court

Ruth Blakeley

Planning Board

Ray F. Langer	Term Expires Mar. 1976
Roland Levesque	Term Expires July 1977
John Gryval	Term Expires July 1978
Richard Marshall Chm.	Term Expires Mar. 1978
Douglas Mealey	Term Expires July 1980
George L. Gagnon	Term Expires Sept. 1980
William Kaufman	Term Expires July 1979
Linda Maher Clerk	

Zoning Board of Adjustment

Adelard Gagnon, Chm.	Term Expires Apr. 1976
Guy Campbell	Term Expires Nov. 1975
Paul Howe	Term Expires Nov. 1978
Gilbert Fay	Term Expires Nov. 1978
Russell Poirier	Term Expires Nov. 1979
Paul Morin	Term Expires June 1980

Alternates to Zoning Board of Adjustment

Reginald Burgess	Term Expires Mar. 1976
Alpha Chevrette	Term Expires Mar. 1977
Rudolph Campbell	Term Expires Mar. 1978
Joseph Koehler	Term Expires Mar. 1979

Cemetery Commission

Ernest Gould
Hector Vincent
Paul Godbout

RECORD OF THE MINUTES OF THE TOWN MEETING

March 4, 1975
First Session

The Moderator, Richard Riley opened the meeting at 6:00 AM, read the first section of the Warrant, and the posting of same. The Clerk broke the seals on the ballots and the polls were declared open for voting.

Ballot clerks serving at this meeting, included Lee Harvey, Lillian Zapora and Edith Rice (republicans), Bertha Beauchesne, Doris Riley, and Roland Levesque (democrats), with Pat Sack as Assistant Moderator and Barbara Johnson as Assistant Clerk.

Polls were declared closed at 7:01 PM with the following results:

For Selectman for 3 years:
Oscar Morin Jr. 728

For Town Clerk-Tax Collector for 3 years:
Joyce A. Emerson 736

For Treasurer for 1 year:
Elaine Caron 713

For Road Agent for 1 year:
Ralph Seavey 292
Bernard M. Zapora Sr. 489*

For Overseer of Public Welfare for 1 year:
Charles E. Woodbury 727

For Trustee of Public Library for 3 years:
Nancy K. Barrett 696

For Trustee of Trust Funds for 3 years:
Leon C. Boisvert 705

For Budget Committee for 3 years:
Roger Bergeron 561
John I. Jacobs Jr. 559
David Shaw (write-in) 45

For Sewer Commissioner for 3 years:
Merle Blakely 305*
George H. Gagnon 179
Joseph T. Koehler 251

Questions on the ballot:

Question #1 — "Mobile Home"
YES: 436 NO: 254

Question #2 — "Junk"
YES: 532 NO: 174

Question #3 — Building in flood hazard areas
YES: 486 NO: 159

March 7, 1975
Second Session

The Moderator called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM after opening exercises conducted by Boy Scout Troop 292 of Hooksett. Introductions of Town officers were made. Mr. Riley then referred to the State Statutes governing Town meetings and the Municipal Budget Act, and explained proper procedures for voting on the YES-NO secret ballot for the Warrant Articles.

ARTICLE 2: $180,000 bond issue for acquisition of Head's Pond Reservation. Charles Gassek made the motion to adopt the article. Mr. Hall seconded. Mr. Gassek made a motion to amend Article 2, paragraph 1, to read - "to see it the Town will vote to purchase the

Head's Pond Reservation consisting of approximately 1500 acres, water rights and dam from the Liberty Street Corp., for a sale price of $900,000." The remainder of the article to remain unchanged. Mr. Hall seconded the motion to amend. Arnold Green read a letter from an outside attorney regarding this article to purchase, as perhaps being an illegal article. Discussion, pro and con, on this article continued for well over an hour, the motion to cut off debate having been defeated. At 8:30 PM the Moderator declared the polls open for voting on the bond issue.

ARTICLE 3: To hire money in anticipation of taxes. Mr. Langer made the motion to adopt. Mr. Apple seconded. Article was adopted 392 YES - 72 NO.

ARTICLE 4: Discount of 2% on property taxes. Mr. Sprague made the motion to adopt. Mr. Blakeley seconded. Article adopted 399 YES - 76 NO.

ARTICLE 5: $4,890.93 for Class V Town Road Assistance ($733.64 for Town's share) - Mr. Goodwin made the motion to adopt. Mr. Richards seconded. Article adopted 432 YES - 38 NO.

ARTICLE 6: $1,947.40 for membership in So. N.H. Planning Commission, Mr. Harvey made the motion to adopt the article. Mr. Marshall seconded. Article adopted 369 YES - 99 NO.

ARTICLE 7: To establish a Sanitary Landfill Capital Reserve Fund. Mr. Apple made the motion to adopt the article. Mr. Blakeley seconded. Article was adopted 430 YES - 38 NO.

ARTICLE 8: To sell surplus materials at the landfill site: Mr. Apple made the motion to adopt. Mr. Breen seconded. Article was adopted 436 YES - 32 NO.

ARTICLE 9: To deposit monies received from sales in Sanitary Landfill Capital Reserve Fund. Mr. Morin made the motion to adopt the article as read and Mr. Apple seconded. Article was adopted 437 YES - 32 NO.

ARTICLE 10: Disapproved by the Budget Committee.

ARTICLE 11: Disapproved by the Budget Committee.

ARTICLE 12: To indemnity Town employees from loss, fees, etc., Mr. Apple made the motion to adopt. Mr. Langer seconded. Article was adopted 305 YES - 136 NO.

ARTICLE 13: To increase the exemption given to Mt. St. Mary College from $150,000. to $600,000. Sr. Hoey made the motion to adopt the article as read. Mrs. Sevigny seconded. Article was adopted 249 YES - 204 NO.

ARTICLE 14: Disapproved by the Budget Committee.

ARTICLE 15: To establish a permanent Conservation Fund. Mr. Morin made the motion to adopt as read. Mr. Apple seconded. Article was adopted 290 YES - 136 NO.

ARTICLE 16: Distribution of campaign materials on Town property. Mrs. Riley made the motion to adopt the article. Mr. Davidson seconded. After much discussion on the article the Moderator asked for the vote. The article was adopted 327 YES - 108 NO.

ARTICLE 17: To fix salary of Town Clerk-Tax Collector. Mr. Morin made the motion to adopt. Mr. Sprague seconded. Article was adopted 396 YES - 44 NO.

ARTICLE 18: Aluminum siding to cover wood areas on Municipal Building. Mr. Apple made the motion to adopt. Mr. Langer seconded. Mr. Apple made the motion to amend the article to increase the cost of the siding to $4,246. Amendment seconded and voted in the affirmative. Mr. Hess made the motion to further amend the article by deleting the word "aluminum" from the article. Amendment seconded and voted in the affirmative. Then Article 18, as amended, was adopted 358 YES - 84 NO.

ARTICLE 19: Disapproved by the Budget Committee.

ARTICLE 20: $36,500 for 1,350 feet of surface water drain on Goonan Road. This article had been disapproved by the Budget Committee. Mr. Langer made the motion to adopt the article Mr. Morin seconded. Mr. Campbell stated that the new I-93 road and its drainage system would correct the problem. The article was defeated 11 YES - 409 NO.

ARTICLE 21: $2,228.40 to continue the Community Action Program. Ted LaVertue made the motion to adopt the article and Sr. Hoey seconded. Article was adopted 324 YES - 93 NO.

ARTICLE 22: To participate in the National Flood Insurance Program. Mr. Morin made the motion to adopt the article. Mr. Langer seconded. Article was adopted 337 YES - 54 NO.

ARTICLE 23: Resolution on flood hazard areas. Mr. Apple made the motion to adopt as read. Mr. Langer seconded. Article was adopted 302 YES - 56 NO.

ARTICLE 24: Resolution that Planning Board amend regulations pertaining to flood hazard areas. Mr. Apple made the motion to adopt and Mr. Breen seconded. The article was adopted 270 YES - 66 NO.

ARTICLE 25: Transfer of Prescott Library building to Board of Selectmen. Mr. Pike made the motion to adopt. Mr. Sprague seconded. Article adopted 290 YES - 39 NO.

ARTICLE 26: Use of Prescott Library by Hooksett Historical Society. Lloyd Robie made the motion to adopt. Mrs. Moore seconded. Article adopted 273 YES - 29 NO.

ARTICLE 27: $1,000 for matching funds for Crime Commission and Highway Safety. Mr. Hardy made the motion to adopt. Mr. Jacobs seconded. Article adopted 225 YES - 58 NO.

ARTICLE 28: Fire Department study committee. Mr. Morin made the motion to adopt. Mr. Langer seconded. Motion was made to amend article to TWO representatives from each Fire Department. Motion was seconded and voted in the affirmative. Article as amended was adopted 256 YES - 22 NO.

ARTICLE 29: To adopt Fire Protection Life Safety Code. Mr. Law made the motion to adopt. Mr. Howe seconded. Article adopted 244 YES - 22 NO.

ARTICLE 30: To accept federal or state funds which become available. Mr. Sprague made the motion to adopt the article. Mr. Apple seconded. Article was adopted 234 YES - 22 NO.

ARTICLE 31: The Budget - Mr. Morin made the motion to accept the Budget as recommended by the Budget Committee subject to the votes cast for the various articles in the warrant. Motion was seconded and voted in the affirmative.

The meeting was adjourned at 10:10 PM and the count of the ballots on the warrant articles began.

Mr. Halvorson wanted to record a protest on the Head's Pond article - that the townspeople were not informed well enough to discuss or vote intelligently on the article.

Mr. Riley declared the ballot box on the bond issue closed at 10:40 PM. Results: 502 votes cast (3 blank) - 335 (2/3) needed for passage - 179 YES - 320 NO. The article to purchase the Head's Pond Reservation was declared defeated.

Joyce A. Emerson
Town Clerk

Selectmen's Report

To The Residents of the Town of Hooksett:

As we review the events of the past year and try to anticipate what the future promises us, the impression that there is a phrase that describes our present status haunts us. The phrase ends something like this:

"And a change was on the earth"

If there is no such phrase, then we are creating one here, for, when applied to Hooksett, the status of our Town is most aptly described by these words at this particular time. A change is on the Town of Hooksett.

For over 150 years Hooksett has been a town divided. We speak of this not in reference to the attitude of the residents of Hooksett, but in relation to Hooksett's physical aspect. Ever since its founding, Hooksett has been divided into two halves by the Merrimack River. The only means of crossing from side to side without leaving the Town has been by use of the Village Bridge at the northerly end of Town. Now we see a new bridge; one which will allow us to cross at the south end of Town. The construction of this bridge completes the bonds that tie the west and east halves of the land together and makes Hooksett ONE town.

The town has progressed in contormance with this image. The first major project was to review the Flood Damage Program with residents in the flood-prone area on both sides of the river to determine if there was a desire to purchase such insurance. Because nearly everyone approached wished this protective coverage, the Department of Housing and Urban Development was asked to accept our request to participate in the Flood Insurance Program. Acceptance into the program was forthcoming early in the fall.

To eliminate confusion, we have adopted a set of employee regulations which outline all of the benefits available to our employees and what they can expect during their years of service to the town.

We want to call to your attention the great job done by Mr. Laurent Boucher, Mrs. Judith Hess and Mrs. Doris Riley your Representatives to the General Court. Their actions resulted in the passage of the bill to raise the population of the compact section of cities and towns from 5000 to 6500, thus assuring that Mammoth Road, Main Street and Merrimack Street will not be turned over to the town by the state. The cost to the town, if this bill had not passed would be hard to assess, however, we feel that it could be a substantial sum each year.

For the Town would have had to plow the roads in the winter and maintain them in the summer.

This action definitely prevented a further increase in the 1975 tax rate and in the future.

The three Representatives accomplished another service to the Town by having an act establishing a Police Commission in Hooksett reconsidered and subsequently passed, after it appeared that the bill had been tabled without a vote of the legislature. The Police Commission was voted a reality in September 1975. Appointees on October 15, 1975 were Mr. Robert Normandeau, Mr. Warren Harvey and Mr. William Tassie. These men are now actively participating in the functions outlined in the act establishing the commission.

But we cannot be satisfied with past or present accomplishments. As elected representatives, one of our functions is to want to produce service, the finest quality service available at a price the Town can afford. We want to do this by the following means:

1. We want to analyze the possible growth of the Town in relation to the newly constructed I-93 interchange. We want to be able to anticipate this growth and to be ready when it appears. We want to encourage participation by the residents of the Town in this area for it is recognized that this growth will involve re-zoning in the adjacent areas. When this occurs, we want it to be with the approval of those residents who will be closely affected by the rezoning before the subject is proposed, not be surprised by the proposals.

2. To achieve this goal we want to organize a new group of residents of the Town made up of representatives of the Planning Board, Water Precincts, Sewer Commission, Men's Club, Women's Club, Chamber of Commerce and Selectmen and members at large. We want this group to analyze the requirements of industry in resettling in Hooksett, the availability of resources and the methods of contacting industries and to come up with concrete proposals.

3. We want to install a bid system for items purchased in quantity. The first item in this program is programmed to reduce costs in insurance. We propose to design an insurance program and offer it for public bid during 1976.

4. We want to look into the possibility of computerizing the paper work of the Town. Automating the keeping of records which will reduce the work loads of the clerical help in the Selectmen's Office and the Town Clerk, Tax Collector and Treasurer's areas and produce more complete records than those we have now.

To want something intensely enough is to become enthusiastic about it. Everson once wrote "Nothing great has ever been achieved without enthusiasm." It is this word "enthusiasm" alone that describes the feeling we must build within each of us in the days to come.

The members of this Board look ahead to the future knowing that there is no magic wand which can be waved to solve each problem as it arises. We recognize that there must be continued vigilance on our part, that we must constantly be looking for opportunities, any sort of opportunity to stimulate the progress of Hooksett, to control costs and to eliminate unnecessary expenditures, to establish common objectives that will better our regional environment, and to recognize and grasp these opportunities whenever they appear. Knowing this, we ask you to meet the challenge of the years ahead with us with "enthusiasm!"

Ray F. Langer

Lowell D. Apple

Oscar Morin, Jr.

TOWN WARRANT

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

TO THE INHABITANTS OF THE TOWN OF HOOKSETT, NEW HAMPSHIRE IN THE COUNTY OF MERRIMACK IN SAID STATE, QUALIFIED TO VOTE IN TOWN AFFAIRS:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Hooksett Memorial School on Tuesday, the 2nd day of March next at six of the clock in the forenoon to cast your ballots for Town Officers and for questions required by law to be on the ballots. Polls close at 7:00 P.M.

The remainder of the warrant will be acted upon at the Hooksett Memorial School, Friday, March 5, 1976 at 7:00 P.M.

Art. 1. Shall we adopt the provisions of RSA 72:43-b and 43-c for expanded exemptions on real estate which provide for a resident sixty-five years of age up to seventy-five, a five thousand dollar exemption; a resident seventy-five years of age up to eighty, a ten thousand dollar exemption; a resident eighty years of age or older, a twenty thousand dollar exemption, provided that the resident owns the real estate individually or jointly with another or his spouse with whom he has been living for at least five years as man and wife; said resident had a net income of less than seven thousand dollars or combined income with spouse of less than nine thousand dollars; and owns assets of any kind, tangible or intangible, less bona fide encumbrances, not in excess of thirty-five thousand dollars? (Town Ballot-March 2, 1976)

Art. 2. Shall we adopt the provisions of RSA 72:62 for a property tax exemption on real property equipped with a solar energy heating or cooling system which exemption shall be in the amount of one hundred percent (100%) of the cost of the solar heating collectors and storage containers? (Town Ballot-March 2, 1976)

Art. 3. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to hire money in anticipation of the 1976 taxes, to be repaid therefrom.

Art. 4. To see if the Town will vote to give a discount of two percent (2%) on all taxes except Resident Tax and Sewer Rents paid on or before the fifteenth (15th) day of July, and to grant the Selectmen authority to extend this date if unable to get tax rate from Department of Revenue Administration as of July 1st.

Art. 5. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of eight hundred eight dollars and ninety cents ($808.90) the state to furnish five thousand three hundred ninety-two dollars and sixty seven cents ($5,392.67) the same to be expended under the State Highway Department for Class V Town Road assistance or take any action thereto.

Art. 6. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate an amount to maintain membership in the Southern New Hampshire Planning Commission (1976-1977) membership fee based on 1970 U. S. Census figures at thirty-five cents ($0.35) per capita- one thousand nine hundred forty-seven dollars and forty cents, ($1,947.40) or take any action thereto.

Art. 7. To see if the Town will vote to petition the New Hampshire Department of Revenue Administration to reassess the Town for Tax purposes and to expend the sum of thirty thousand dollars ($30,000) needed for this purpose from the Federal Revenue Sharing Fund established under the provisions of the State and local assistance Act of 1972 or take any other action in relation thereto. (By Petition)

Art. 8. To see if the Town will vote to have a tax map drawn, as required by R.S.A. 33:95A (The law requires all Towns and Cities in New Hampshire prior to January 1, 1980 to have a Tax Map, so called drawn showing the boundary lines of each parcel of land in Town and shall be properly indexed) and to expend the sum of thirty five thousand ($35,000.) needed for this purpose from the Federal Revenue Sharing Fund established under the provisions of the State and local assistance Act of 1972 or take any other action in relation hereto. (By Petition).

Art. 9. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate nine thousand five hundred dollars ($9,500.) for expansion of the second floor of the Municipal Office Building (Town Hall) and authorize the withdrawal of the amount required for this purpose from the Revenue Sharing Fund established under the provisions of the State and Local Assistance Act of 1972. (By Petition)

Art. 10. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the withdrawal from the Revenue Sharing Fund established under the provisions of the State and Local Assistance Act of 1972 for use as setoffs against budgeted appropriations for the following priority purposes and in amounts indicated or take any other action hereon:

Appropriation	Amount
Old Age Assistance	$5,000.00
Town Poor	4,000.00
Parks & Playgrounds	2,000.00
Police Department	6,000.00
Fire Departments	6,000.00
Highway Department	7,000.00
	$30,000.00

Art. 11. To see if the Town will vote to establish a capital reserve fund for the purchase of Sewer Department equipment and to appropriate the sum of Ten Thousand Dollars ($10,000.00) for this purpose in this fiscal year, said sum to be raised from sewer rents. (Submitted by Sewer Commission)

Art. 12. To see if the Town will vote to extend the Town's 12'' sewer line from the intersection of Clough Avenue and Londonderry Turnpike Northerly eleven hundred feet (1,100') along said Londonderry Tunrpike to its intersection with U. S. Route 3; and to raise and appropriate the sum of Forty Thousand Dollars ($40,000.00) from property taxes in the current tax year for this purpose. (Presented by Sewer Commission)

Art. 13. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $2,877.40 for the continuation of services to the low income and elderly residents of Hooksett through the Suncook Area Center of the Community Action Program, Belknap-Merrimack Counties, Inc. (By Petition)

Art. 14. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of one thousand dollars ($1,000.) for the purpose of providing for matching any available funds under the following Grant Match Funds.''

5% Crime Commission Match Funds ($10,000. possible total)	$500.
50% Highway Safety Match Fund ($1,000. possible total)	500.
(By petition)	Total $1,000.

Art. 15. To see if the Town will vote to discontinue that portion of Old Mammoth Road, between Station 79 plus 00 and Station 81 plus 40, Left. Said Highway was returned to the Town Highway system by the State Highway Department, when the junction of Mammoth Road and Route 3 was relocated.

Art. 16. We, the undersigned are petioning with the Town of Hooksett, N. H. to obtain Town Sewerage on Pleasant Street, from Morse's Corner to corner of Pleasant View Drive, to be inserted in the Town Warrant. (By Petition)

Art. 17. To see if the Town will vote to rescind the increase in the exemption granted to Mount Saint Mary College on its dormitories, dining rooms, and kitchens under RSA 72:23, section IV at the March 7, 1975 town meeting. Said increase was from an exemption of one hundred fifty thousand dollars ($150,000.) to an exemption of six hundred thousand dollars ($600,000.) (By Petition)

Art. 18. Are you in favor of amending the Planning Ordinance of the Town to provide for the election of Planning Board Members?" (By petition)

Art. 19. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to accept on behalf of the Town, any federal or state funds which may be made available during 1976. Further, to see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to make application for said funds and then expend the same for the purpose designated within applicable federal or state regulation.

Art. 20. To see if the Town will vote to accept the Budget, as submitted by the Budget Committee, or take any other action in relation thereto.

Given under our hands and seal, this eleventh day of February, in the year of our Lord, nineteen hundred and seventy-six.

Ray F. Langer
Lowell D. Apple
Oscar A. Morin, Jr.
Selectmen of Hooksett

A true copy of Warrant Attest:

Ray F. Langer
Lowell D. Apple
Oscar A. Morin, Jr.
Selectmen of Hooksett

Churches, Social Groups and Fraternal Orders

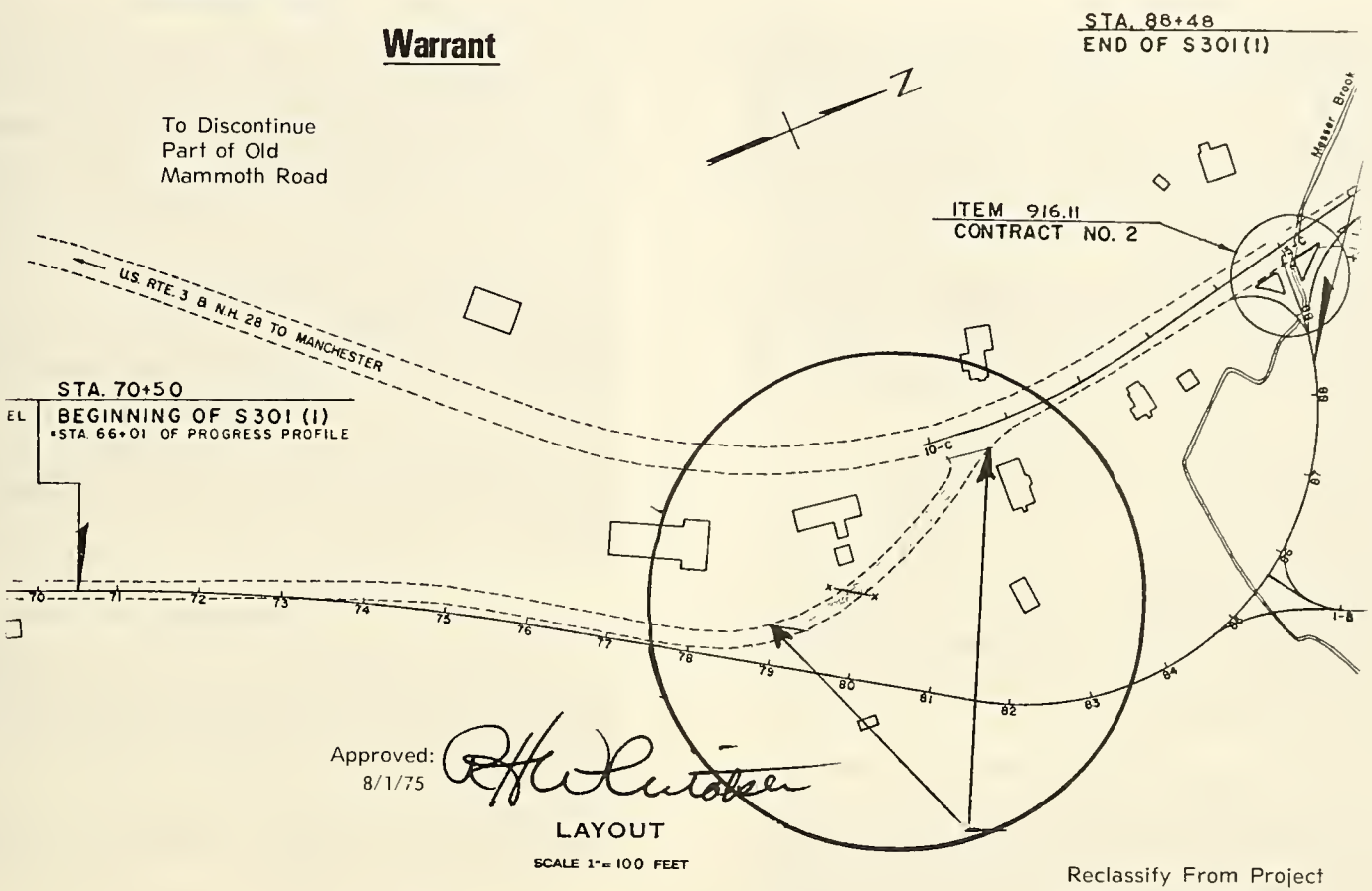
Congregational Church 4 South Main Street	Rev. John Nix Tel. 485-3423
Holy Rosary Church 7 South Main Street	Rev. Ernest Bissonnette Tel. 485-3523
Nazarene Church 9 Smith Avenue	Rev. P. Edgar Thompson Tel. 672-2971
Bethel Advent Christian Church Pleasant Street (Proposed)	Rev. Stephen Brown Tel. 624-4435
American Legion	James Sprague
American Legion Aux.	Rose Dionne
Boy Scouts	Paul Lacourse, Scoutmaster Charles Chase
C.A.P.	Alfred Lessard
Catholic Women's Club	Suzanne Dionne
Columbian Squires	Donald Yergeau
Cub Scouts	Norman Jolin Brad Lortz
Deerhead Sportsmen's Club	James Chirsty
Girl Scouts--Village School:	Brownies-H. Call, N. Veilleux. Juniors-P. Groele
Underhill School:	Brownies-B. Doiron, A. Houde. Juniors-C. Dube
Hooksett Chamber of Commerce	Richard Riley
Hooksett Community Grange	Mrs. Estelle Benard
Hooksett Men's Club	Gordon Moore
Hooksett Village Grange	Mrs. Elizabeth Bailey
Hooksett Village PTA	Mrs. Caroline Schroeder
Hooksett Underhill PTO	Bruce Perkins
Hooksett Women's Club	Mrs. Harrington
Hooksett Youth Athletic Ass'n.	Gordon Moore
Hooksett Youth Athletic Ass'n Aux.	Priscilla Todd
I.O.O.F.	Frank Cate
Knights of Columbus	Andre Benard
Ladies Aid	Mrs. C. McKay
Lions Club	Paul Goddout
Manchester-Hooksett Extension	Mrs. M. Monteigh
Pansy Rebeccas	Mrs. M. Cate
Pinnacle Fish & Game Club	Robert Anderson
Pilgrim Fellowship	Mrs. Judith Shuter Brian Barrett
Hooksett Historical Society	Mrs. B. Morgan

Special

Article on

Warrant

To Discontinue
Part of Old
Mammoth Road



Reclassify From Project
Station 79 plus 00 Lt. to
Station 81 plus 40 Lt.
and Return to
Town

TOWN OF HOOKSETT

COUNTY OF MERRIMACK

Report of the Budget Committee

In the wake of an astounding $6.50 per thousand increase in taxes last year, your Budget Committee is submitting an austere, no-trills budget for 1976. To restore some degree of stability in and predictability to the Hooksett tax rate, the budget being submitted contains no new, major programs. Rather, the Committee is recommending that all new projects be deterred until later years. By these efforts, we hope to keep new tax increases to a minimum in Hooksett in what is predicted to be essentially a no-growth year for the property tax base.

Once again, the preparation of this budget required countless, uncompensated hours from many devoted Town, school district and other departmental and commission officials, employees, boards and committees. The appropriation requests submitted to the Committee by these various officers and agencies reflected their honest efforts to provide the best possible service to the citizens of Hooksett at a reasonable cost. To comply with our statutory responsibilities, however, the Budget Committee then reviewed each of these requests and made reductions or additions where we believed adjustments were required. In performing these duties, we held numerous meetings with board and committee chairmen. Once again, however, public participation at these working meetings was extremely disappointing and provided the Committee with little guidance as to the desires and expectations of the people we serve.

This year we experienced a further modification of the budgetary process. Previously, the Budget Committee prepared and submitted its final budget proposal prior to the required Public Budget Hearings. As a result, the Public Hearings served merely to inform citizens of the Committee proposals some time prior to Town Meeting.

This year the Budget Committee conducted its Public Hearings **prior to** voting on the final departmental budget requests. Under this revised procedure, your Committee was able to reconsider previous action and modify its tentative proposals based upon the suggestions, criticisms and other information provided at the Public Hearings. Changes in a number of budgets after the Public Hearings this year reflect the value your Budget Committee places upon this input.

The combined requests submitted to the Budget Committee by Town departments would have resulted in a tax increase of approximately 9.7 per cent. After scrutinizing every one of those requests, your Committee arrived at an absolutely bottom-line budget. Increases of some sort are inevitable in a year which witnessed a seven (7) per cent increase in the cost of living. The tuition assessment levied by the Manchester School District for Hooksett high school students alone increased an additional $10,500 this year. This cost, together with many others, is completely beyond the control of Hooksett Town officials.

Despite such uncontrollable increases, however, your Budget Committee has proposed a rock-bottom budget for consideration by Hooksett voters. In many instances, the budget proposals will be difficult to live within. Nevertheless, we feel that priorities have to be established and that this year, at least, our priority was to restore stability to the Hooksett tax rate.

Our major concession to the increasing cost of living was a decision by the Budget Committee to propose a general six (6) per cent increase in salaries for Town and school district employees. We adopted this guideline after thorough discussion and evaluation of the alternatives available to us. Despite the fact that the State of New Hampshire and numerous local governments, including the City of Concord, have provided for no increase in wages this year, we decided to follow a six (6) per cent guideline in recognition of the dedicated services provided our citizens by so many of our public servants.

The explanations that follow outline the appropriations requested by each Town department and the action of the Budget Committee on those specific requests. As you will note, eight budgets increased over last year, eight were reduced and three remain unchanged.

The **HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT** budget increase of $4,800 over last year results exclusively from a six (6) per cent increase in the wage appropriation over last year.

The **POLICE DEPARTMENT** appropriations request was reduced $22,600 by the Budget Committee. Despite this trimming, our recommendation of $87,722.50 still reflects a $4,017 increase over the 1975 budget. This increase is caused by a $6,000 increase in the Police Department payroll, a pay raise strongly urged by our newly-appointed Hooksett Police Commission and within the Budget Committee's six (6) per cent guideline.

The **COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION** budget was approved at $31,937, a $1,013 reduction from the budget originally submitted by the Commission. The cut was acclomplished by a reduction of the request for wages to remain within the six (6) per cent Budget Committee guideline. The budget as approved by the Budget Committee is approximately $700 less than last year's appropriation, due to a reduction in the purchase of new equipment.

The **SELECTMEN'S** budget request was reduced from $470,436 to $464,989. The budget as recommended constitutes a $111,000 increase over last year's appropriation. Of that increase, however, $94,548 is attributable to uncontrollable expenses, including $72,000 in bond payments over last year, a $12,099 increase over interest payments from 1975, and lesser increases in Social Security, retirement and town insurance.

The **PARKS AND RECREATION** budget is approximately one-half the size of the 1975 budget, reflecting the successful completion of the Donati Field Tennis Courts. The $3,690 budget proposed by the Committee includes an appropriation of $1,200 to purchase the necessary materials for the reconstruction of the dugouts at the Babe Ruth Baseball Field.

WATER PRECINCTS. The Hooksett Village Water Precinct budget was approved as submitted at the figure of $49,689. The Central Hooksett Water Precinct budget was reduced appoximately $2,100. Almost all of this reduction was effected in the estimated amount of electricity to be purchased and the estimated cost of services to be received from outside sources.

The **SEWER COMMISSION** requested a budget of $119,861, an increase of approximately $45,000 over last year's approved budget. Most of this increase was due to anticipated increases in operating expenses resulting from the enlarged sewerage treatment plant. The Budget Committee recommendation of $98,233 reflects substantial increases in the following items: Electricity — $9,500; Chlorine and Chemicals — $3,000; Insurance — $2,000; Maintenance — $2,500; Truck Expenses — $1,800; Salaries — $1,670. A proposed capital reserve fund appropriation of $10,000 was deleted from the operating budget and is being submitted to the voters by means of a warrant article.

The **HOOKSETT PUBLIC LIBRARY** budget was approved as requested at $31,800, a $1,000 increase over last year's appropriation. $600 of that increase is represented by a six (6) per cent wage increase. The remainder is due to smaller miscellaneous increases.

The **HOOKSETT DISTRICT COURT** budget is submitted at $16,440, a reduction of $360 from last year's budget.

The **PUBLIC WELFARE** budget was approved in the amount of $12,000. This represents an $8,000 reduction from the 1975 appropriation and reflects the excellent work of Mr. Charles Woodbury in keeping welfare expenditures far below his appropriation for 1975.

FIRE DEPARTMENTS. The Hooksett Village Fire Department budget was approved at $27,825, an increase of $4,240 over the 1975 appropriation. The approved budget is $2,110 below that requested by the department. $1,110 of that reduction was effected in the payroll item, which still represents an increase of more than twenty (20) per cent after the reduction. The remaining $1,000 reduction was effected in a variety of items, including a reduction of $200 in the estimated cost of heating the Fire Department, and a reduction of $500 in the appropriation for new equipment and replacement. The South Hooksett Fire Department was approved at $30,935, an increase of $2,115 over 1975 but a reduction of $2,800 over that requested by the Department. $2,100 of the reduction was effected in wages and payroll, which nevertheless increased by more than twelve (12) per cent over the 1975 appropriation. The remaining $600 reduction was effected in the office expense item.

The remaining budgets were recommended as proposed, or modified only slightly:

	1975 Budget	Requested 1976	Recommended 1976
FOREST FIRE WARDEN	$3,050	$3,650	$3,050
CEMETERY DEPARTMENT	7,695	7,720	7,720
CONSERVATION COMMISSION	580	455	455
PLANNING BOARD	2,725	2,725	2,025
CIVIL DEFENSE	850	850	850

The **HOOKSETT SCHOOL DISTRICT** requested a total budget of $1,856,071 for its 1976-77 fiscal year. This budget represented an increase of $115,150 over the budget approved by the School District last year. The budget approved by the Budget Committee and being submitted at the District Meeting for voter action totals $1,800,193 or a 3.4% increase over last year. This increase results primarily from moderate increases in four areas of expenditures. The tuition to be paid to the City of Manchester for our high school students attending Central High School is expected to increase $10,500. Salaries for teachers and other instructional personnel have been budgeted for an increase of $17,637. This increase is well within the Budget Committee guideline of 6% and represents a reduction of approximately $19,500 from the original request submitted by the

School Board. Special educational services for the disadvantaged, physically and mentally handicapped Hooksett students is expected to increase $10,083 over last year's appropriation of $21,621. These expenditures are mandated by State statute and are completely beyond the control of local School District and budgetary officials. Finally, contracted services contains an appropriation increase of $10,900 over last year. The overwhelming portion of this increase, $10,000 has been authorized to be available if necessary to hire a professional negotiator by the School District. This appropriation was specifically requested by the School Board so that they would have the resources available to hire a professional negotiator in the event the Hooksett School District teachers employ a professional in their negotiations with the School Board concerning teacher salaries. The School Board has assured the Budget Committee that these funds will not be used for any other purpose and will be expended only in response to employment of a similar nature on the part of negotiating teachers.

Substantial changes are budgeted in the following areas over 1975-76:

		1975-76 Budget	Budget Recommended
220.	Library and audio visual materials	$10,080	$12,000
230.	Teaching supplies	25,440	27,484
610.	Salaries, plant operation	40,278	42,670
850.	Retirement and FICA	56,353	59,536
900.	School lunch program	40,000	47,500
1477.3	Supervisory Union	37,074	40,879

Of the items listed above, the School Lunch Program reflects an increase of $7,500 in the funding provided by the Federal Government and does not constitute an increase appropriation to be raised from local taxes. Of the remaining items listed above, the School Board's request for funding for the items of Library and Audio Visual Materials, Teaching Supplies, and Employee Retirement and FICA were reduced a total of $8,152 by the Budget Committee.

At the specific request of the School Board, the line item of Rent, item 860, was retained in the budget with an appropriation of $35. This is a substantial reduction from the $3,500 requested by the School Board. The Budget Committee action reflects disapproval of the Home Economics program initiated by the School Board in conjunction with Mount Saint Mary's College. Rent line item was retained, however, to permit this issue to be raised, discussed and voted upon at the Annual School District Meeting.

The total appropriations for all Town and School District budgets amount to $2,899,863. These appropriations represent an increase of only $50,005 over the 1975 budgets, an increase of less than 2% during this inflationary period. Please note, however, that this figure does not include appropriations contained in Warrant Articles.

TOWN WARRANT ARTICLES

The Budget Committee has taken the following action on the Articles in the warrants requiring an expenditure of money:

Article 5. $808.90. Class V Town Road Aid Assistance, **Recommended by Budget Committee.** This is an annual article that allows the town to receive $5,392.67 from the State Highway Department for Town road maintenance and improvements.

Article 6. $1,947.40. To maintain membership in the Southern New Hampshire Planning Commission. **Submitted without Recommendation by the Budget Committee.**

Article 7. $30,000. Reassessment of the Town. (Submitted by Petition) **Recommended by the Budget Committee.** The expenditure of $30,000 from Federal Revenue Sharing Funds for the reassessment of property taxes in the Town of Hooksett is recommended by the Budget Committee, Expenditure of these funds will not effect local taxes, and the Budget Committee has become convinced that the present inequities in the real property tax structure in Hooksett will not be corrected and should not be delayed pending completion of the I-93 belt-line.

Article 8. $35,000. Preparation of tax maps. (Submitted by Petition) **Recommended by Budget Committee.** The appropriation of $35,000 from Federal Revenue sharing funds for the purpose of preparing tax maps for the Town will have no effect on the Hooksett tax rate. The Budget Committee feels that this action, which is required to be completed by State law before 1980, should be accomplished simultaneously with the reassessment of the Town.

Article 9. $9,500 Renovation of Town Hall (Submitted by Petition) **Recommended by Budget Committee.** Expenditure of these funds from Federal Revenue Sharing Funds will not result in any increase in Town taxes and will provide additional space for Town offices in the Municipal Office Building.

Article 10. $30,000 withdrawal from Federal Revenue for budget set offs - **Recommended by Budget Committee.**

Article 11. $10,000 Sewer Department Capital Reserve Fund. **Recommended by Budget Committee.** The Budget Committee recommends the establishment of a Capital Reserve Fund for the Sewer Department as wise fiscal management to prepare for contingencies involving major expenditures for maintenance and capital replacement.

Article 12. $40,000 sewer extension. **Not Recommended by Budget Committee.**

Article 13. $2,877.40 Community Action Program (Submitted by Petition) **Recommended by Budget Committee.** The Budget Committee believes the citizens of Hooksett have benefited greatly by the services provided by the Community Action Program and urge the approval of this Article.

Article 14. $1,000 Matching Grant Funds (Submitted by Petition) **Recommended by Budget Committee.** Expenditures of these amounts will qualify Town Departments to receive a possible $11,000 in matching funds from various Federal Agencies. If the matching funds are not available, this appropriation will not be expended.

HOOKSETT SCHOOL DISTRICT WARRANT ARTICLES

Article. $621,900 Education Voucher Program. **Not Recommended by Budget Committee.** Because of the inherent uncertainty in the Voucher Program as demonstrated by repeated revisions in the Program and its financial aspects from its inception to the present, as well as the requirement in the Program that its rules and regulations may from time to time be amended by the State Board of Education, the Budget Committee was not prepared to submit this matter to the School District with affirmative action. Your Committee voted to not recommend this item because of the substantial sum of money involved, and because participation in this Program could possibly cost Hooksett tax payers $100,000 above and beyond the funds which would be provided by the Federal Government. Your Budget Committee did not believe the Town of Hooksett should be placed in the position of possibly being penalized for willingly participating in an experimental educational program sponsored by the Federal Government.

Article. $350,000 Memorial School Addition (Submitted by Petition) **Submitted without recommendation by the Budget Committee.** This article, submitted by Petition, seeks to implement the School District Study Committee report which is contained elsewhere in this Town Report. As this article was submitted by Petition, it must be brought before the School District for a vote by the people.

PLANNING BOARD

22 REGULAR MEETINGS
3 PUBLIC HEARINGS
19 SUBDIVISION PLANS APPROVED
15 SITE-PLAN APPROVALS GRANTED

Replacements - George Gagnon for Warren Harvey & Douglas Mealey re-appointed for 5 year term. Ray Langer is a regular member of the Southern New Hampshire Planning Commission & Douglas Mealey is an alternate.

Suncook Child and Youth Project

The Suncook Child and Youth Project is a federally and state funded model of comprehensive care.

Health services are provided by a doctor, nurse, nutritionist, and social worker team in a continuous manner as to assure the best physical, social and emotional development of each child enrolled in the program. Emphasis is placed on preventive health care services, limiting disabling child disease and treating children and youth in the context of the family limit.

In Hooksett we care for 75 children and youths. For 47 of those children the project provides all medical and dental payment for services.

In addition 15 women, infants and children with special nutritional needs receive free eggs, milk, cheese, cereal and formula.

Submitted by
Pat McLean
Nurse Co-ordinator

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF HOOKSETT, N.H.

Aparopriations and Estimates of Revenue for the Ensuing Year January 1, 1975 to December 31, 1975

PURPOSE OF APPROPRIATION		Appropriations Previous Fiscal Year	BUDGET COMMITTEE Recommended 1976 (1976-77)	BUDGET COMMITTEE Submitted Without Recommendation
General Government:				
Town Officers' Salaries		$ 7,900.00	$20,930.00	
Town Officers' Expenses		27,425.00	29,850.00	
Election & Registration Expenses		7,850.00	10,900.00	
Municipal & District Court Expenses		16,800.00	16,440.00	
Town Hall & Other Town Buildings		5,942.00	7,070.00	
Employees' Retirement & Social Security		13,250.00	17,500.00	
Comm. Center		32,672.00	31,937.00	
Build. Insp.		1,500.00	---	
Parking Lots		2,220.00	2,220.00	
Police Department		83,705.00	87,722.50	
Fire Department 27, 825 & 30, 935 & 3,050		55,455.00	61,810.00	
Care of Trees		600.00	600.00	
Insurance		33,435.00	39,684.00	
Planning & Zoning		2,725.00	2,025.00	
Damages & Legal Expense		6,000.00	7,500.00	
Civil Defense		850.00	850.00	
Health Dept. (Incl. Hospitals & Ambulance)		2,000.00	2,000.00	
Landfill		20,000.00	20,000.00	
Sewer		74,407.00	98,233.00	
Town Dump & Garbage Removal		26,650.00	26,650.00	
Surveying		1,000.00	1,000.00	
Town Maintenance - Summer & Winter		86,580.00	91,380.00	
Street Lighting		21,000.00	28,780.00	
General Expenses of Highway Department		9,990.00	9,990.00	
Town Road Aid Article		733.64	808.90	
Libraries		28,800.00	31,800.00	
Bi-Centennial Fund		1,500.00	1,500.00	
Town Poor		9,800.00	4,800.00	
Old Age Assistance		10,000.00	7,000.00	
Aid to Soldiers		200.00	200.00	
Patriotic Purposes (Memorial Day, Etc.)		600.00	750.00	
Recreation		7,104.00	3,690.00	
Conservation		580.00	455.00	
Hydrants		12,700.00	13,100.00	
Cemeteries		7,695.00	7,720.00	
Pensions		2,500.00	2,500.00	
Advertising & Regional Associations		700.00	853.00	
Highway Construction		40,000.00	40,000.00	
Principal & Long Term Notes & Bonds		95,000.00	167,000.00	
Interest - Long Term Notes & Bonds		74,702.32	85,072.00	
Resurfacing		6,360.00	6,360.00	
Capital Outlay:				
1975 Articles	1976			
Heads Pond	Re-assessment		30,000.00	
Clerk-Collector	SNHPC	11,000.00	1,947.40	
S.N.P.C.	Tax Maps	1,947.40	35,000.00	
Siding	Mach. Grants	4,246.00	1,000.00	
Grant Funds	CAP	1,000.00	2,877.40	
Comm. Action	Sew. Cap. Res.	2,228.40	10,000.00	
Payment to Capital Reserve Funds		10,000.00	10,000.00	
Town Hall Renov.			9,500.00	
		$869,352.76	$1,089,005.20	

SOURCES OF REVENUE	Estimated Revenue Previous Fiscal Year	Actuol Revenue Previous Fiscal Yeor	Estimated Revenue Fiscal Year 1976 (1976-77)
From State:			
Interest & Dividends Tox	$ 8,500.00	$ 8,123.27	$ 8,500.00
Savings Bank Tax	6,000.00	5,911.82	6,000.00
Meals & Rooms Tox	38,000.00	42,215.81	45,000.00
State Aid - Woter Pollution Projects	65,500.00	64,000.00	125,175.00
Highway Subsidy (Cl. IV & V)	25,000.00	24,783.66	25,000.00
Reimbursement Forest Fires	1,000.00	1,817.80	2,000.00
Reim. A/C Business Profits Tox (Town Portion)	220,000.00	219,987.64	230,997.00
From Local Sources:			
Dog Licenses	2,000.00	2,553.50	2,200.00
Business Licenses, Permits & Filing Fees	7,000.00	751.25	2,500.00
Mator Vehicle Permit Fees	112,000.00	124,950.55	150,000.00
Interest on Taxes & Deposits	9,000.00	12,753.80	9,000.00
Income from Trust Funds	4,500.00	3,160.99	4,500.00
Withdrawol Capital Reserve Funds	---		
Interest on C/o	4,000.00	2,570.64	13,000.00
Fines & Forfeits - Municipol & District Court	20,000.00	14,200.00	16,000.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	32.00	32.00	32.00
Resident Taxes Retained	40,000.00	41,670.00	41,670.00
Normal Yield Toxes Assessed	200.00		
Rent of Town Property	2,500.00	2,375.70	2,050.00
Sole of Cruiser	250.00	751.25	6,500.00
Building Permits	1,500.00	1,580.00	1,500.00
Income from Cable Rents	600.00		1,200.00
Sewer Rents	74,407.00	74,407.00	98,033.00
Bond & Nate Issues			
Sewer Plant Expansion	94,760.00	92,000.00	
Revenue Sharing From Federol Sources:			104,500.00
TOTAL REVENUES FROM ALL SOURCES EXCEPT PROPERTY TAXES	736,749.00		895,357.00
AMOUNT TO BE RAISED BY PROPERTY TAXES (Exclusive of County and School Taxes)			193,648.20
TOTAL REVENUES		$740,596.68	$1,089,005.20

Budget Committee:
Dovid Hess
Gerald Beauchesne
Roger E. Hebert
M. Lee Harvey
William H. Greenough
Lowell D. Apple
Gerry Handley
John Jacobs
Roger R. Bergeron
Dovid E. Show
James C. Perkins
Ralph Page

TAXES 1971 — 1975

	NET TOWN APPRO- PRIATION	+ NET SCHOOL APPRO- PRIATION	+ COUNTY TAX	= TOTAL APPRO- PRIATIONS	− Businesses Profit Tax & War Service Credits & Overlay	= PROPERTY TAXES TO BE RAISED	NET VALUATION	TAXES TO BE RAISED / DIVIDED BY VALUATION	= TAX RATE (PER THOUSAND)
1971	$243,404	$1,062,739	$73,374	$1,379,518	$181,663 $30,800 $23,370	$1,252,026	$32,520,160	$1,252,026 / $32,520,160	**$38.50**
1972	$223,689	$1,129,431	$69,322	$1,422,442	$190,034 $33,350 $34,935	$1,300,694	$34,409,910	$1,300,694 / $34,409,910	**$37.80**
1973	$223,820	$1,316,522	$84,277	$1,634,650	$199,536 $38,350 $34,280	$1,507,744	$37,883,040	$1,507,744 / $37,883,040	**$39.80**
1974	$351,757	$1,415,805	$86,552	$1,854,115	$209,513 $30,900 $31,979	$1,707,482	$40,848,873	$1,707,482 / $40,848,873	**$41.80**
1975	$422,326	$1,632,469	$103,688	$2,158,484	$219,988 $38,775 $35,622	$2,012,894	$41,674,828	$2,012,894 / $41,674,828	**$48.30**

BREAKDOWN

1971		1972		1973		1974		1975	
TOWN - $7.30		$6.90		$6.60		$8.70		$10.50	
COUNTY - 2.30	$38.50	1.80	$37.80	2.00	$39.80	1.90	$41.80	2.20	$48.30
SCHOOL - 28.90		29.10		31.20		31.20		35.60	

Statement of Appropriations

Title of Appropriation	1975 Appropriations	Credits	Amount Available	Amount Spent	Balance	Overdraft
Town Officers Salaries	$ 18,900.00		$ 18,900.00	$ 17,764.68	$ 1,135.32	
Town Officers Expense	27,425.00	$ 322.38	27,747.38	29,467.78		$ 1,720.40
Elect. & Registration	7,850.00	5.00	7,855.00	7,399.95	455.05	
Census	0	0	0	890.51		890.51
Court	16,800.00		16,800.00	16,352.00	448.00	
Town Buildings	5,942.00		5,942.00	5,959.95		17.95
S.S. & Ret.	13,250.00	20,692.54	33,942.54	37,589.58		3,647.04
Insurance	33,435.00	3,771.35	37,206.35	30,275.17	6,931.18	
Legal	6,000.00		6,000.00	7,399.57		1,399.57
Pension	2,500.00		2,500.00	2,500.00		
Adv. & Regional	700.00		700.00	582.49	117.51	
Bonds & Notes	95,000.00		95,000.00	95,000.00		
Interest	74,702.32		74,702.32	72,972.72	1,729.60	
Capital Reserve	10,000.00		10,000.00	10,000.00		
Libraries	28,800.00	219.73	29,019.73	29,019.73		
Planning Board	2,725.00		2,725.00	1,723.27	1,001.73	
Street Lights	21,000.00		21,000.00	26,242.81		5,242.81
Town Poor	9,800.00	284.50	10,084.50	4,544.50	5,540.00	
Old Age	10,000.00	132.49	10,132.49	6,163.10	3,969.39	
Soldiers Aid	200.00		200.00	155.00	45.00	
Communication Comm.	32,672.00	3,050.22	35,722.22	35,360.74	361.48	
Ambulance	2,000.00		2,000.00	2,000.00		
Civil Defense	850.00		850.00	745.98	104.02	
Hydrants	12,700.00		12,700.00	12,410.00	290.00	
Cemeteries	7,695.00		7,695.00	7,277.57	417.43	
Conservation Comm.	580.00		580.00	580.00*		
Police	83,705.00	51,619.41	135,324.41	135,894.60		570.19
Fire Dept. #1	23,585.00		23,585.00	23,581.53	3.47	
Fire Dept. #2	28,820.00	3.78	28,823.78	30,124.39		1,300.61
Forest Fires	3,050.00	3,195.14	6,245.14	5,721.64	523.50	
Building Insp.	1,500.00		1,500.00	1,530.00		30.00
Summer	43,290.00	5,669.71	48,959.71	48,710.66	249.05	
Winter	43,290.00	848.56	44,138.56	52,096.82		7,958.26
Generol	9,990.00	36.31	10,026.31	9,991.01	35.30	
T.R.A.	733.64		733.64	733.64		
Surveying	1,000.00		1,000.00	158.00	842.00	
Trees	600.00		600.00	0	600.00	
Parking Lots	2,220.00		2,200.00	2,200.00		
Garbage Removal	26,650.00		26,650.00	30,358.48		3,708.48
New Construction	40,000.00		40,000.00	35,957.61	4,042.39	
Resurfacing	6,360.00		6,360.00	9,503.96		3,143.96
Parks & Recreation	7,104.00	1,147.76	8,251.76	5,673.94	2,577.82	
So. N. H. Planning	1,947.40		1,947.40	1,947.40		
Bounty	0		0	.50		
Specials						
Bi-Centennial	1,500.00		1,500.00	1,500.00		
Sanitary Land Fill	20,000.00		20,000.00	20,000.00		
Memorial Day	600.00		600.00	672.38		72.38
Town Hall Siding	4,246.00		4,246.00	4,246.00		
Fed. Match. Grant	1,000.00		1,000.00	0**	1,000.00	
Community Action	2,228.40		2,228.40	2,228.40		
TOTALS	$794,945.76	$ 90,998.88	$885,944.64	$883,227.56	$ 32,419.24	$ 29,702.16

Fed. Match. Grant has to be returned to Surplus	-1,000.00	-1,000.00
	$884,944.64	$ 31,419.24
	-883,227.56	-29,702.16
Balance	$ 1,717.08	$ 1,717.08
Budget Surplus 1975	1,717.08	

* Conservation Comm. $534.39 actually spent $45.61 placed in Savings Account per Article #15 1975 Town Warrant

STATEMENT OF LONG TERM INDEBTEDNESS, SHOWING ANNUAL MATURITIES OF PRINCIPAL AND INTEREST AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1975

	Sewer Bonds - 4.20%		Sewer Bonds - 4.70%		Bridge Bonds - 6.10%		Sewer Bonds - 5.50%		Engineering Study Exp. Sewer System	
Amount of Issue	$1,475,000.00		$200,000.00		$180,000.00		$320,000.00		$50,000.00 Int. 4.25	
Date of Issue	November 1, 1967		June 15, 1973		April 1, 1975		April 1, 1975		June 18, 1975	
Prin. Pay. Date	November 1		June 15		April 1		April 1		June 18	
Int. Pay. Dates	May 1 & Nov. 1		June 15 & Dec. 15		Apr. 1 & Oct. 1		Apr. 1 & Oct. 1		June 18 & Dec. 18	
Payable at	N.E. Merchants Nat'l.		N.E. Merchants Nat'l.		N.E. Merchants Nat'l.		N.E. Merchants Nat'l.		The Suncook Bank	
Mat. Fiscal Year	Principal	Interest	Principal	Interest	Principal	Interest	Principal	Interest	Principal	Interest
Dec. 31, 1975	$ 75,000.00	$ 39,900.00	$ 20,000.00	$ 7,990.00	$	$ 5,490.00	$	$ 8,800.00	$ 0	$1,059.24
Dec. 31, 1976	75,000.00	36,750.00	20,000.00	7,050.00	20,000.00	10,370.00	35,000.00	16,637.50	17,000.00	1,763.75
Dec. 31, 1977	75,000.00	33,600.00	20,000.00	6,110.00	20,000.00	9,150.00	35,000.00	14,712.50	17,000.00	941.25
Dec. 31, 1978	75,000.00	30,450.00	20,000.00	5,170.00	20,000.00	7,930.00	35,000.00	12,787.50	16,000.00	340.00
Dec. 31, 1979	75,000.00	27,300.00	20,000.00	4,230.00	20,000.00	6,710.00	35,000.00	10,862.50		
Dec. 31, 1980	75,000.00	24,150.00	20,000.00	3,290.00	20,000.00	5,490.00	30,000.00	9,075.00		
Dec. 31, 1981	75,000.00	21,000.00	20,000.00	2,350.00	20,000.00	4,270.00	30,000.00	7,425.00		
Dec. 31, 1982	75,000.00	17,850.00	20,000.00	1,410.00	15,000.00	3,202.50	30,000.00	5,775.00		
Dec. 31, 1983	70,000.00	14,700.00	20,000.00	470.00	15,000.00	2,287.50	30,000.00	4,125.00		
Dec. 31, 1984	70,000.00	11,760.00			15,000.00	1,372.50	30,000.00	2,475.00		
Dec. 31, 1985	70,000.00	8,820.00			15,000.00	457.50	30,000.00	825.00		
Dec. 31, 1986	70,000.00	5,880.00								
Dec. 31, 1987	70,000.00	2,940.00								
	$950,000.00	$275,100.00	$180,000.00	$38,070.00	$180,000.00	$56,730.00	$320,000.00	$93,500.00	$50,000.00	$4,104.24

Total Principal Payments for 1975 - Long Term Notes $ 95,000.00
Total Interest Payments for 1975 - Long Term Notes $ 63,239.24

STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATION AND TAXES ASSESSED - 1975

APPROPRIATIONS	
GENERAL GOVERNMENT:	
Town Officers' Salaries	$ 7,900.00
Town Officers' Expenses	27,425.00
Election & Registration Expenses	7,850.00
Municipal & District Court Expenses	16,800.00
Town Hall & Other Town Buildings	5,942.00
Employees' Retirement & Social Security	13,250.00
Communication Center	32,672.00
Police Department	83,705.00
Building Inspection	1,500.00
Parking Lots	2,220.00
Fire Dept. $52,405.00 Forest Fires $3,050.00	55,455.00
Care of Trees	600.00
Insurance	33,435.00
Planning	2,725.00
Damages & Legal Expenses	6,000.00
Civilian Defense	850.00
Ambulance	2,000.00
Surveying	1,000.00
Sewer Rents	74,407.00
Garbage Collection & Sanitary Land Fill	46,650.00
Town Maintenance -- Summer & Winter	86,580.00
Street Lighting	21,000.00
General Expenses of Highway Department	9,990.00
Town Road Aid	733.64
Libraries	28,800.00
Town Poor	9,800.00
Old Age Assistance	10,000.00
Aid to Soldiers	200.00
Patriotic Purposes (Memorial Day, etc.)	600.00
Recreation (Parks, Playground, etc.)	7,104.00
Bicentennial Fund	1,500.00
Hydrants	12,700.00
Cemeteries	7,695.00
Pensions	2,500.00
Advertising & Regional Associations	700.00
Principal - Long Term Notes	95,000.00
Interest - Long Term Notes	62,180.00
Interest on Temporary Loans	12,522.32
Capital Outlay:	
#6 So. N.H. Plan.	1,947.40
#17 Clerk Coll. Salary	11,000.00
#18 Alum. Siding	4,246.00
#21 Community Action	2,228.40
#27 Matching Grant	1,000.00
Payment to Capital Reserve Funds	10,000.00
Resurfacing	6,360.00
Highway Construction	40,000.00
Conservation Fund	580.00
TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS	$869,352.76

Less: Estimated Revenues and Credits	$ 8,123.27
Savings Bank Tax	5,911.82
Meals and Rooms Tax	42,215.81
State Aid for Water Pollution Projects	64,000.00
Reimbursement a/c State and Federal Lands	58.58
Reimbursement a/c Forest Fires	1,000.00
Revenue from Yield Tax Sources	182.30
Interest Received on Taxes	9,000.00
Interest Received on Cert. of Dep. & Savings	12,875.00
Business Licenses, Permits and Filing Fees	2,500.00
Dog Licenses & Penalties	2,350.00
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	115,000.00
Rent of Town Property and Equipment	2,030.70
Income from Trust Funds	4,500.00
Sale of Tax Deeded Property	6,500.00
Fines and Forfeits - Municipal Court	16,000.00
Reimbursement Bond Int.	8,800.00
Sewer Rents	74,407.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	32.00
Resident Taxes	41,670.00
Cable Rents	1,200.00
Highway Subsidy	24,783.66
Interest Received from Sewer Bonds	3,885.84
TOTAL REVENUES AND CREDITS	$447,025.98
Net Town Appropriations	422,326.78
Net School Appropriations	1,632,469.38
County Tax Assessment	103,688.64
Total of Town, School and County	$2,158,484.80
Deduct: Total Bus. Profits Tax Reimbursement	219,988.00
Add: War Service Tax Credits	38,775.00
Add: Overlay	35,622.39
PROPERTY TAXES TO BE RAISED	$2,012,894.19
Gross Property Taxes	$2,012,894.19
Gross Precinct Taxes	32,440.24
Total	$2,045,334.43
Less: W/Serv. Tax Cr.	38,775.00
TOTAL TAX COMMITMENT	$2,006,559.43

Property Taxes to be Committed to Collector	
TAX RATES	
Town	$1.05
School Dist.	3.56
County	.22
Precinct	.12
Precinct	.22
Precinct	0

Trustees of Trust Funds

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	PRINCIPAL				INCOME			
	Balance 1/1/75	New Funds Created	With-drawals	Balance 12/31/75	Balance 1/1/75	Income	Expended	Balance 12/31/75
Cemetery Funds	$ 45,395.20	$ 1,450.00	$	$ 46,845.20	$ 36.38	$ 3,521.56	$ 3,508.04	$ 49.90
Library Funds	3,055.71			3,055.71	.00	229.05	229.05	.00
Schaol District Funds	34,372.47		20,000.00	14,372.47	7,677.02	1,873.46	.00	9,550.48
Tawn Capital Reserve Fund	18,500.00	10,000.00	18,500.00	10,000.00	7,443.89	861.24	4,454.00	3,851.13
Central Hooksett Water Pre.	16,000.00	4,000.00		20,000.00	4,578.44	1,356.45		5,934.89
Hooksett Village Water Pre.	4,471.72	1,000.00		5,471.72	669.34	334.23		1,003.57
Sanitary Land Fill Fund		4,124.30		4,124.30	.00	84.51	.00	84.51
Totals	$121,795.10	$ 20,574.30	$38,500.00	$103,869.40	$ 20,405.07	$ 8,260.50	$ 8,191.09	$ 20,474.48

New Funds 1975:
New Section Heads Cem. 300.00
New Lots - Martins Cem. 1,150.00

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT THE INFORMATION IN THIS REPORT IS COMPLETE AND CORRECT TO THE BEST OF OUR KNOWLEDGE AND BELIEF.

Bertha F. Page
Anna M. Boisvert
Lean C. Baisvert
Trustees

Summary Inventory of Valuation

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY	1975 Valuation	Village Precinct	Central Precinct
Land - improved and unimpraved	6,969,993	1,172,808	1,886,165
Buildings	31,006,200	6,951,650	7,591,075
Factory Buildings	1,215,000		1,074,300
Public Utilities:			
Gas	170,200	34,500	
Electric	2,044,000	653,100	207,100
Tanks	4,500		
House Trailers, Mobile Homes & Travel Trailers - 222 -Assessed as Personal Property	1,322,660		302,775
Boats & Launches - 52	26,700		
TOTAL VALUATION BEFORE EXEMPTIONS ALLOWED	$42,759,253	$8,812,058	$11,061,415
Blind Exemptions - 2 $ 10,000		5,000	
Elderly Exemptions - 112 324,325		56,050	71,400
School Dining Room, Dormitory & Kitchen Exemptians 750,000			
TOTAL EXEMPTIONS ALLOWED	$ 1,084,325	$ 61,050	$ 71,400
NET VALUATION ON WHICH TAX RATE IS COMPUTED	$41,674,828	$8,751,008	$10,990,015

ELECTRIC, GAS & PIPELINE COMPANY OPERATING PLANT

NAME OF COMPANY	GAS	ELECTRIC
Concord Natural Gas Corp.	$ 49,500	$
Manchester Gas Co.	24,000	
Public Service Co. of N. H.		2,044,000
Tennessee Gas Pipeline Co.	96,700	
TOTAL	$170,200	$2,044,000

Number of Inventories Distributed in 1975	2,556	Number of individuals applying for an elderly exemption 1975	111
Date 1975 Inventories Were Mailed	March 25, 1975	Number of individuals granted an elderly exemption 1975	111
Number of Inventories Returned in 1975	1,779		

TREASURER'S REPORT

Jonuary 1, 1975 --- December 31, 1975

Bolonce in Checking Account #01-380-5		$ 82,263.58
Receipts:		
Stote of New Hompshire and U. S. Government		
Woter Supply & Pollution Control	$64,000.00	
Revenue Sharing	48,944.00	
Business Profits Tox	219,987.64	
Interest & Dividend Tax	8,123.27	
Savings Bank Tax	5,911.82	
Rooms & Meols Tox	42,215.81	
Highwoy Subsidy	24,783.66	
Reimbursement:		
Tennis Courts	6,514.32	
Police Deportment Comm. Equip.	2,084.00	
Juvenile Officer	2,708.00	
Rood Toll Refund	72.53	
Highwoy Department Rood Toll Refund	1,520.65	
T.R.A.	3,560.00	
Welfore O.A.A.	132.49	
Forest Fires	1,817.80	
		432,375.99
Received from Joyce Emerson, Town Clerk	129,522.87	
Received from Joyce Emerson, Tax Collector	2,080,332.63	
Received from Trustee of Trust Funds:		
Int. on Cemetery Trust Funds	3,160.99	
Int. on Library Trust Funds	219.73	
Received from Suncook Bonk:		
Int. on Certificate of Deposits	12,753.80	
Received from Municipol Court	14,200.00	
Received from Building Permits	1,580.00	
Received from Certificate of Deposits	600,000.00	
Received from N. E. Merchonts Bonds	185,196.56	
Received from Rent of Town Property	2,375.70	
Received from Permits Town & Police	751.25	
Received from sale of Town Property	25.00	
Stopped Poyments on Checks	601.70	
Received from refunds & Local Saurces	66,309.67	
		3,097,029.90
Totol		3,611,669.47
Expenditures:		
1975 Expenditures per Selectmens' Manifests		3,237,478.08
Balance in Checking Account December 31, 1975		374,191.39
Accounts in Hooksett Bonk		
Article Map Account #32	3,836.83	
Accounts in Suncook Bonk		
Revenue Sharing	23,235.43	
Revenue Shoring	16,252.85	
Revenue Shoring Cert. of Deposit	20,000.00	
Savings Account #25048	1,258.76	
Conservotion Commission	45.61	
Certificotes of Deposit	500,000.00	
		564,629.48
Totol Amount Available December 31, 1975		$ 938,820.87

Submitted:
Elaine Garon
Treosurer

HOOKSETT SEWER ACCOUNT

Jonuory 1, 1975 to December 31, 1975

Balance in Checking Account #01-379-7		$ 8,080.46
Receipts:		
Sewer Permits	$ 235.00	
Joyce Emerson, Tax Collector	7,715.00	
Other sources	94.13	
Town of Hooksett	55,000.00	
		132,488.13
		$ 140,568.59
Expenditures:		
Sewer Board Manifests		101,170.72
Balance in Checking Account December 31, 1975		$ 39,397.87

SHOPPING CENTER SEWER ACCOUNT

Balance in Checking Account #01-295-5		$ 73,796.81
Receipts:		
Town of Hooksett	$17,925.00	
State of New Hampshire	92,386.37	
Town of Hooksett	196.56	110,507.93
		$ 184,304.74
Expenditures:		
Sewer Baard Manifests		157,808.61
Balance in Checking Accaunt December 31 1975		$ 26,496.13

NEW HAMPSHIRE COLLEGE ACCOUNT

Balance in Checking Accaunt #01-311-0	$ 1,599.31
Balance in Checking Accaunt December 31, 1975	1,599.31

SEWER CONSTRUCTION ACCOUNT

Balance in Checking Accaunt #01-273-2	$ 959.21
Receipts:	1,003,687.20
	1,004,646.41
Expenditures Sewer Board Manifest	991,852.59
Balance in Checking Accaunt December 31, 1975	12,793.82
Special Sewer Accaunt #23034	
Balance January 1, 1975	616.53
Interest Received	34.78
Balance an hand December 31, 1975	$ 651.31
N.H.C. 1975 Sewer Expansian Account #491539-3 Balance an June 5, 1975	32,000.00
Interest Received	790.29
Balance an hand December 31, 1975	$ 32,790.29

Special Escraw Accaunt #34379

Balance January 1, 1975	$ 6,169.62
Interest Received	103.48
Balance April 7, 1975	$ 6,273.10
Transfer ta Checking Accaunt #01-273-2	6,273.10
Balance an December 31, 1975	$ .00

Submitted:

Elaine Garan,
Treasurer

Town Clerk's Report

Year Ending December 31, 1975

-DR.-

Motor Vehicle Permits issued:			
1975		$123,331.85	
1974		1,588.31	
			$124,920.16
Dog Licenses Issued:			
9 @ 1.00	$ 9.00		
702 @ 2.00	1,404.00		
1 @ 2.50	2.50		
150 @ 5.00	750.00		
3 @ 12.00	12.00		
2 @ 20.00	40.00		
1 @ 35.00	35.00		
		2,276.50	
313 Penalties		313.00	
			2,589.50
Fees:			
Titles, U.C.C.'s, Vital Statistics and miscellaneous filing fees			2,043.82
			$129,553.48
Remittances to Treasurer:			
Motor Vehicle permit fees		$124,920.16	
Dog Licenses and Penalties		2,589.50	
Filing fees:		2,043.82	
			$129,553.48

Joyce A. Emerson
Town Clerk

SEWER RENT WARRANTS

Year ending December 31, 1975

	1975	1974	1973	1972	1971
Uncollected Sewer Rents - January 1, 1975		12,343.28	.09	1.25	36.18
Sewer Rents Committed to Collector	$78,364.20				
Added Sewer Rents	68.30				
Interest on Sewer Rents	.82	596.93			
Overpayments	57.75				
	$78,491.07	12,930.21	.09	1.25	36.18
Remittances to Treasurer:					
Sewer Rents	$64,204.18	12,343.28			
Interest	.82	586.93			
Abatements allowed	197.46				36.18
Uncollected Sewer Rents - December 31, 1975	14,088.61		.09	1.25	
	$78,491.07	12,930.21	.09	1.25	36.18

Joyce A. Emerson
Collector

Summary of Warrants

SUMMARY OF WARRANTS

PROPERTY, RESIDENT AND YIELD TAXES

LEVY OF 1974

- DR. -

Uncollected Taxes - As of January 1, 1975:		
Property Taxes	$ 214,394.02	
Resident Taxes	11,290.00	
		$ 225,684.02
Added Taxes:		
Property Taxes	0	
Resident Taxes	480.00	
		480.00
Overpayments:		
a/c Resident Taxes	$ 60.00	
		$ 60.00
Interest Collected on Delinquent Property Taxes		$ 7,457.94
Penalties Collected on Resident Taxes		931.00
TOTAL DEBITS		$ 234,612.96

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Remittonces to Treasurer During Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1975:		
Property Taxes	$ 214,394.02	
Resident Taxes	9,310.00	
Interest Collected During Year	7,457.94	
Penalties on Resident Taxes	931.00	
		$ 232,092.96
Abatements Made During Year:		
Property Taxes	0	
Resident Taxes	2,450.00	
Yield Taxes	0	
		2,450.00
Uncollected Taxes - December 31, 1975: (As Per Collector's List)		
Property Taxes	0	
Resident Taxes	70.00	70.00
TOTAL CREDITS		$ 234,612.96

Summary of Warrants

SUMMARY OF WARRANTS

PROPERTY, RESIDENT AND YIELD TAXES

LEVY OF 1975

- DR. -

Taxes Committed to Collectar:		
Praperty Taxes	$2,006,682.89	
Resident Taxes	42,420.00	
National Bank Stack Taxes	32.00	
Total Warrants		$2,049,134.89
Yield Taxes		218.76
Added Taxes:		
Praperty Taxes	$ 6,019.32	
Resident Taxes	160.00	
		6,179.32
Overpayments During Year:		
a/c Property Taxes	$ 72.67	
a/c Resident Taxes	0	
		72.67
Interest Collected an Delinquent Praperty Taxes		34.80
Penalties Collected an Resident Taxes		108.00
TOTAL DEBITS		$2,055,748.44

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Remittances to Treasurer:		
Praperty Taxes	$1,757,259.18	
Resident Taxes	27,857.67	
National Bank Stack Taxes	32.00	
Yield Taxes	218.76	
Interest Collected	34.80	
Penalties an Resident Taxes	108.00	
		$1,785,510.41
	Adjustment	1,332.33
Discaunts Allowed		30,025.97
Abatements Made During Year:		
Praperty Taxes	$ 4,578.55	
Resident Taxes	0	
Yield Taxes	0	
		4,578.55
Uncollected Taxes - December 31, 1975:		
(As Per Collector's List)		
Praperty Taxes	$ 220,911.18	
Resident Taxes	13,390.00	
Yield Taxes	0	
		234,301.18
TOTAL CREDITS		$2,055,748.44

SUMMARY OF WARRANTS

PROPERTY, RESIDENT AND YIELD TAXES

LEVY OF 1973

	-DR.-	
Uncollected Taxes - As of January 1, 1975:		
Resident Taxes	$ 30.00	
		$ 30.00
Penalties Collected on Resident Taxes		2.00
TOTAL DEBITS		$ 32.00

	-CR.-	
Remittances to Treasurer During Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1975:		
Property Taxes	0	
Resident Taxes	20.00	
Yield Taxes	0	
Penalties on Resident Taxes	2.00	
		$ 22.00
Abatements Made During Year:		
Uncollected Taxes - December 31, 1975: (As Per Collector's List)		
Property Taxes	0	
Resident Taxes	10.00	
		10.00
TOTAL CREDITS		$ 32.00

Summary of Tax Sales Accounts

FISCAL YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1975

	-DR.- Tax Sales an Account of Levies of:			
	1974	1973	1972	Previous Years
(a) Balance of Unredeemed Taxes of January 1, 1975	$	$28,340.52	$3,903.11	$1,191.91
(b) Taxes Sold to Town During Current Fiscal Year	54,594.63			
Interest Collected After Sale	881.45	1,677.10	820.62	256.42
TOTAL DEBITS	$55,476.08	$30,017.62	$4,723.73	$1,448.33
	-CR.-			
Remittances to Treasurer During Year:				
Redemptions	$34,110.47	$21,528.71	$2,756.36	719.85
Interest & costs After Sale	881.45	1,677.10	820.62	256.42
Abatements During Year		1,001.87		
Deeded to Town During Year	367.11	346.03	328.89	57.02
Unredeemed Taxes - December 31, 1975	20,117.05	5,463.91	817.86	415.04
TOTAL CREDITS	$55,476.08	$30,017.62	$4,723.73	$1,448.33

(a) "Balance of Unredeemed Taxes - January 1, 1975:"
Should include balances of Unredeemed Taxes, as of beginning of fiscal year - January 1, 1975 from Tax Sales of Previous years.

(b) "Taxes Sold to Town During Current Fiscal Year:"
Tax Sales held during fiscal year ending December 31, 1975, should include total amount of taxes, interest and costs to date of sale.

NOTE: TOTAL DEBITS and TOTAL CREDITS should agree.

TOWN OFFICERS SALARIES

Ray Langer, Selectman	$1,600.00
Lowell D. Apple, Selectman	1,500.00
Oscar Morin Jr., Selectman	1,500.00
Elaine Garon, Treas.	1,000.00
Joyce Emerson, Town Clerk & Tax Coll. 10 mos. Town Clerk	9,884.68
Robert Morin Sewer Commissioner, 9 mos.	350.00
Leslie Pike, Sewer Commissioner, 9 mos.	350.00
Everett Hardy, Sewer Commissioner	116.67
Merle Blakeley, Sewer Commissioner	333.33
Richard Hatch, Sewer Commissioner	50.00
Robert Channing, Health Officer	350.00
Charles Woodbury, Overseer	500.00
Virginia Duford, Deputy Treas.	50.00
Leon Boisvert, Chm. Trustee of Trust Funds	120.00
Anna Boisvert, Trustee of Trust Funds	30.00
Bertha Page, Trustee of Trust Funds	30.00
	$17,764.68

TOWN OFFICERS EXPENSE

Audit	2,708.74
Appraisals	4,010.00
Appreciation Night	553.35
Clerical	12,873.71
Conventions	458.00
Dues, Subscriptions & Legal Books	1,323.76
Meals, Mileage, Expense	1,079.95
Memorials	48.50
Motor Vehicle, permit fees	2,645.00
Office Equip. & supplies	612.16
Printing	687.50
Postage & Meter	1,420.00
Telephone	1,047.11
	$29,467.78

ADVERTISING

New Hampshire Municipal Association, dues	$582.49

TOWN HALL

Custodian	$1,524.30
Heat	1,195.19
Light	2,210.79
Repairs	612.60
Supplies	271.67
Sewer Rent	15.00
Water	60.30
Equipment	70.10
	$5,959.95

DAMAGE & LEGAL EXPENSE

Perkins, Douglas & Brock, legal services	$5,322.85
Sulloway, Hollis & Godfrey Re: B&M.	55.15
N. E. Merchants Nat'l Bank, bridge bonds	1,458.30
Kathleen M. Roy Guay, Reg. & Tax Sale	147.20
Union Leader, hearings & notices	263.44
Monitor Publishing Co., hearings & notices	68.63
Goffstown News, hearings & notices	84.00
	$7,399.57

ELECTIONS - REGISTRATION & CENSUS

Town Reports	$5,675.00
Boy Scouts, Delivering Reports	200.00
Town Meeting, 1st session	749.00
Town Meeting, 2nd session	148.00
Special Senate Election	627.95
Census	890.51
	$8,290.46

SOUTHERN NEW HAMPSHIRE PLANNING COMMISSION

1975 ended another busy year for the Southern New Hampshire Planning Commission and signaled the start of its tenth anniversary year of service to Hooksett. Much of our staff effort resulted in a number of direct benefits to the townspeople and their elected and appointed officials.

As a continuation of one of our 1974 programs, we identified a HUD error and, on behalf of the Board of Selectmen, successfully obtained an extension of the deadline date for the Town's participation in the National Flood Insurance Program. We congratulate the March, 1975 town meeting for acting favorably on the Flood Insurance Program questions. As a result, your Selectmen did not have to call a special meeting to consider the matter. As of November 10, 1975 Hooksett property owners and tenants were eligible to purchase federally-subsidized insurance coverage for structures and their contents.

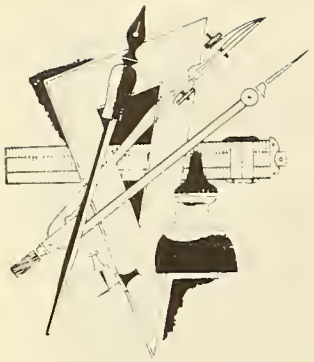
On December 15, 1975, the Commission presented your Planning Board with a set of aerial photographs of the entire town. These prints were made possible through the Southern New Hampshire Planning Commission's aerial photography program and are a product of flights made during May, 1975. Complete coverage of the entire community is now available at the Municipal Building at the scale of one inch equals two hundred feet.

The Commission just completed the drafting of an up-to-date base (street) map of the town to replace the one prepared in 1969.

A 1975 existing land use map is in the final stages of preparation and will reflect changes in development activity which have occurred throughout the town since 1970.

The Commission's Assistant Director provided the Planning Board with technical assistance on a variety of matters and attended sixteen meetings of the Board throughout the year. He has also assisted the Library Trustees and the Board of Selectmen who are interested in applying for a portion of the $275,000. that is available to suburban-Manchester communities under Title I of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974. The Fire Department Study Committee (via the Selectmen) and the Hooksett Sewer Commission's consulting engineers were also provided with supporting data developed by the Southern New Hampshire Planning Commission.

On January 8, 1976 Ray Langer was appointed to the Commission's Executive Committee to fill a vacancy created by the recent resignation of Warren Harvey. Mr. Harvey served as a Hooksett representative on the Southern New Hampshire Planning Commission Board for seven years, four of which he also served as a member of the Executive Committee. Hooksett's alternates to the Commission are Richard Marshall and Douglas Mealey.



Planning Board

ANNUAL REPORT 1975

During the past year the Planning Board has had three new members: John Gryval, William Kaufman and George Gagnon. The Planning Board wants to take this opportunity to thank those members who resigned from the Board during this year for their time and effort. A special thank you goes to Warren Harvey who had served eleven years on the Board and ten of which he served as Chairman.

The Board has been active this year with its usual number of hearings on subdivisions but was also involved in the revision of the Zoning Ordinances and Subdivision regulations. Work was also started on examining possible Building Codes for the community. Most of these activities were undertaken at the request of citizens in the town.

The Southern New Hampshire Planning Commission has continued to supply us with valuable assistance in keeping up to date with planning enabling legislation and its effect on the community as well as keeping us aware of the regional planning efforts in surrounding communities.

This coming year we expect to continue our study of Building Codes, redratt our zoning map for publication and possibly hold some citizen workshops to get a feel as to how the people want their town to grow.

Respectfully submitted,

Richard G. Marshall, Chairman

Zoning Board of Adjustment

The Zoning Board of Adjustment is comprised of five members: Chm. Adelard Gagnon, Asst. Chm. Paul Howe, Russell Poirier, Paul Morin and Reginald Burgess. Alternate members are Gilbert Fay, Ted Koehler, Rudolph Campbell, Alpha Chevrette and Guy Campbell.

The regularly scheduled meetings of the Zoning Board of Adjustment are held on the third Tuesday of each month at 7:30 P.M. at the Hooksett Municipal Building.

The Board of Adjustment held 12 regular meetings, 11 Public Hearings and 3 special meetings. There were a total of 36 requests for variances; 24 were granted, 10 denied, and 2 were tabled.

Requests for variances:

7	gravel removal extensions	3 granted	3 denied	1 tabled
7	new request for gravel removal	3 granted	4 denied	
7	side line variances	7 granted		
4	frontage variances	3 granted	1 denied	
1	trailer without foundation	1 denied		
2	trailer permits	2 granted	(1 with no extension or occupancy allowed)	
4	non-conforming uses of land	2 granted	1 denied	1 tabled
3	sign permits	3 granted		
1	addition to non-conforming building	1 granted		

Respectfully submitted,

Sandra L. Poirier, Clerk

Report of the Highway Department

WINTER

1975 Appropriation	$43,290.00
Credits	848.56
	$44,138.56
1975 Expenditures	
Hired Equipment	$8,151.30
Materials & Supplies	16,036.33
Labor	27,909.19
	$52,096.82

SUMMER

1975 Appropriation	$43,290.00
Credits	5,669.71
	$48,959.71
1975 Expenditures	
Hired Equipment	$1,407.00
Material & Supplies	15,125.10
Labor	32,178.56
	$48,710.66

RUBBISH

1975 Appropriation	$26,650.00
1975 Expenditures	
Materials & Supplies	$6,996.55
Hired Equipment	840.00
Labor	22,521.93
	$30,358.48

GENERAL HIGHWAY EXPENSES

1975 Appropriation	$9,990.00
Credits	36.31
	$10,026.31
1975 Expenditures	
Telephone & Lights	$944.44
Fuel (heat, trucks & grader)	1,997.68
Supplies (oil, gas, parts, repairs)	7,048.89
	$9,991.01

NEW CONSTRUCTION

1975 Appropriation	$40,000.00
1975 Expenditures	
Drainage on Johnson Property	$4,750.00
Hackett Hill Road:	
Materials & Supplies	1,424.61
Farmer Road:	
Payroll	$7,466.25
Hired Equipment	7,478.03
Material & Supplies	10,409.48
	$25,353.76
Hale Avenue	
Surface Water Drainage	$3,607.37
Granite St. and Bert St.	
Lowering catch basins	$821.87
	$35,957.61

SPECIAL APPROPRIATION-PARKING LOTS

1975 Appropriation	$2,220.00
1975 Expenditures	
Hired Equipment	$2,220.00

RESURFACING

1975 Appropriation	$6,360.00
1975 Expenditures	
Materials & Supplies	$7,692.46
Labor	795.50
Hired Equipment	1,016.00
	$9,503.96

SURVEYING

1975 Appropriation	$1,000.00
1975 Expenditures	
Robert Livingston	$158.00

CARE OF TREES

1975 Appropriation	$600.00
No Expenditures 1975	

BERNARD M. ZAPORA
ROAD AGENT

TOWN OF HOOKSETT
THE VISITING NURSE ASSOCIATION OF MANCHESTER

194 Concord Street -- Manchester, N. H. 03104
Telephone 622-3781

TOWN OF HOOKSETT
Visiting Nurse Association Report of Service

Nursing

Skilled Nursing is available in the home by Registered Nurses and Licensed Practical Nurses which includes dressings, injections special treatments, baths and rehabilitative nursing under the direction of the patient's physician. Homemaker--Home Health Aides assist under the direction of the nurses and therapists.

Therapy

Registered physical, occupational and speech therapists are available for therapy at home. Social worker and nutritionist consultants have been added to the staff this year.

Pre and Post Natal Advice

The nurse is prepared to give advice and guidance to expectant mothers as well as instructions after the baby is born.

Immunization clinics are held periodically during the year and nurses are available at monthly drop-in centers, to take blood pressure readings.

Policy

This agency is voluntary and non profit and is certified to care for Medicare patients. Although many of the services are paid for through Medicaid, Medicare and other health insurances, there is a fee which is discussed on the initial visit. Adjustments can be made. There is no charge for maternal and child health visits made by the nurses. Anyone may request the service by calling the Visiting Nurse office at 622-3781, Monday thru Friday from 7:30 A.M. to 4 P.M. Necessary services are provided on weekends and holidays.

Visits in Hooksett: 1975

Nursing	517
Home Health Aides	88
Physical Therapy, Occupational Therapy & Speech Therapy	52

Visiting Nurse Association Services are available to Hooksett residents at no cost to the town. Mr. Rhys Llewellyn III, 36 Benton Road represents Hooksett on the Board of Directors and is President of the Board.

BUILDING PERMITS

160 Building Permits were issued during 1975

One Family Homes	31
Two Family Homes	3
Residential Additions	50
Residential Alterations	8
Garages, Porches, Sheds, Patio	50
Commercial Buildings	4
Commercial Additions	9
Commercial Repairs	2
Permit To Move House	1
Educational Buildings	2
	160

Respectfully Submitted

EUGENE FRASER
Building Inspector

REPORT OF THE DOG OFFICER 1975

Complaints	265
Dogs picked up	82
Dogs returned	34
Dogs given away	24
Dogs disposed of	49
Dogs hit by cars	6
Dogs killed by cars	15
Cats disposed of	57
Dog bites	15

Mr. Leandre Lambert - Dog Officer

HOOKSETT SEWER COMMISSION

The Board of Sewer Commissioners would once again like to use this opportunity to report to the taxpayers on the activities of the Department during 1975.

It has been a busy year, since the extension to the Treatment Plant was started in the spring and continued during the remainder of the year. As of this writing in January 1976, the Plant is virtually complete and will be put into full operation early in February.

The completion of this addition to the Plant will provide double the original operating capacity and will completely relieve the loading problem that has existed for some time.

The addition to the Plant was paid for by 55% Federal Funds, 40% State Funds and the remainder by New Hampshire College. This enlarged capacity will allow new users to be added to the system.

An engineering survey is well under way and a preliminary report has been made to the Sewer Commissioners, the Hooksett Planning Board and the New Hampshire Water Supply and Pollution Control Commission. When completed, this report will guide the Commission on future expansion to the system and will assure that Federal and State Funds will be made available in the future when it becomes necessary to expand. The firm of Environmental Engineers, Inc. from Concord, N. H. were retained to proceed with this study.

The Plant is currently being operated by Superintendent Ralph Page, assisted by Bruce Kudrick and Rendell Burbank.

When the Shopping Center project was under way, the State of New Hampshire gave the Sewer Commission $92,000.00 to help finish the interceptor and lift station. At the conclusion of this project there was $70,000.00 left and the State directed us to use this money to run a sewer interceptor north on Route 3 as far as the money would go. At the present time the interceptor has been run north on Route 3 to Clough Avenue, east on Clough Avenue and ends at a man-hole on the Londonderry Turnpike. In the spring the contractor will start work on this line again and run it further north. Since there is not enough money to run the line as far as the junction of Route 3 and the Londonderry Turnpike, the Board of Sewer Commissioners have inserted an article in the Town Warrant to see if the Town will vote to appropriate the money necessary to run the line that far.

The Environmental Protection Agency has requested the Sewer Commission to establish a more equitable method of collecting sewer rents to pay for the operation of the plant. Since the cost of operating the plant is directly related to the number of gallons of waste water treated per day, the billing of the sewer rents in the future will be determined by the amount of water used by a customer as indicated on his water meter. The Board of Sewer Commissioners hope to put this plan into effect before the end of 1976.

BOARD OF SEWER COMMISSIONERS

Everett R. Hardy, Chairman
Merle E. Blakeley
Richard N. Hatch

Town of Hooksett, New Hampshire

PARKS AND RECREATION COMMISSION

DONATI FIELD

Regular maintenance was preformed on ball fields.

New girls softball field with benches and backstop constructed, along with the new overhang to existing little League backstop and Babe Ruth backstop rewired, bleaches repaired.

Drainage problem at the Babe Ruth and Tennis Court has been corrected by installing a draining ditch.

Permanent locks were installed on rest rooms because of constant vandalism.

Tennis Courts completed for use with sealing and lining.

FRASER FIELD

Water problem still exists, waiting for drainage, so that improvements can be made. Tennis courts were sealed and lined off.

SWIMMING

Response to our swimming program in conjunction with the American Red Cross was very pleasing with good participation.

FOR THE COMING YEAR.

Presently talking with Land Fill Committee relative to use of part of area for recreational purposes.

Also investigating Town owned land for same purpose.

Due to the present economic conditions your Commission has placed a moratorium on new facilities in your Town for this year placing emphasis on maintenance and use of existing facilities only.

Expenditures in 1975:

GENERAL OPERATIONS	$408.60
Swimming Program	157.50
Maintenance	1,634.82
Utilities	414.51
Softball Field	911.89
Ice Skating	211.35
Tennis Court	1,935.27
	$5,673.94
Total Appropriation	$7,104.00
Expenditures	5,673.94
Balance	1,430.06

Ted Owen
Lewis Goodwin
George Longfellow
Bob Vincent
Ed Breen

Conservation Commission Report

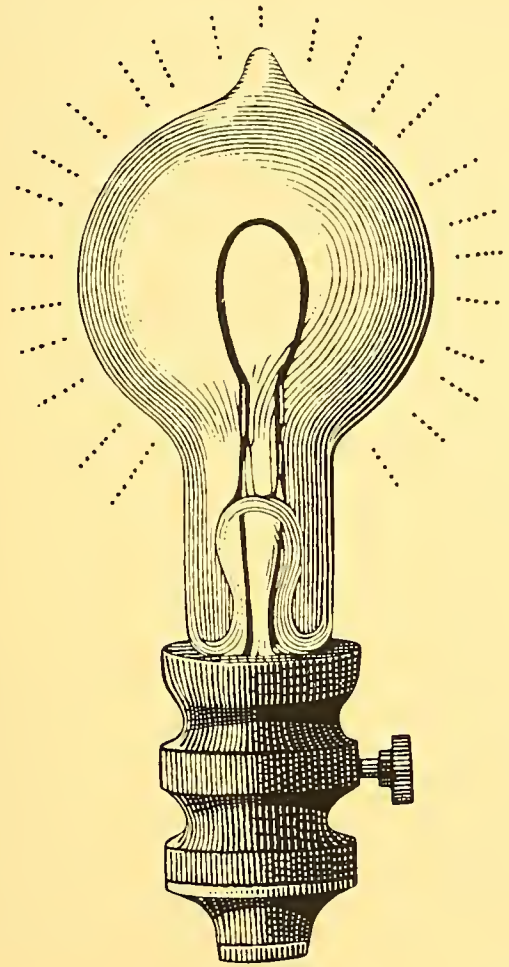
Notification of approval of Federal Funds was received late last fall, we were not able to begin work on Riverside Park. Work will begin when weather permits and it is hoped, the area can be used for Bicentennial activities.

The vote on the head's Pond project was not at all unexpected by the Conservation Commission, but we still feel the project is a very important one to the Town.

In years to come open space will be of increasing value and importance with the population projections of this area.

The Conservation Commission will continue to work on projects of this nature.

Charles Gassek, Chairman



HOOKSETT SCHOOL DISTRICT

REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1975

OFFICERS OF THE SCHOOL BOARD

James VanVliet	Term Expires 1976
Robert Collins	Term Expires 1977
Leo Sack	Term Expires 1978

Moderator
OSCAR MORIN, JR.

Treasurer
BEATRICE BOURBEAU

Clerk
B. ALLAN SPRAGUE

Superintendent of Schools
DAVID R. CAWLEY

Assistant Superintendent of Schools
RICHARD F. THOMPSON

ALL 3 SCHOOLS
TEACHERS

Mr. Charles Baker	Art
Mrs. Judy Pilotte	Art
Mrs. Jane Beaudette	Speech Therapy
Mr. Andrew Bilodeau	Phys. Ed.
Mrs. Sandra Ellis	Music
Mr. William Half	Guidance
Mrs. Kolin Linnane	Reading Con.
Mrs. Sharon Moreau	Phys. Ed.
Mr. Thomas Rand	Music
Mrs. Carol Von Suck	Learn. Abil.

NURSE

Mrs. Pat Moore

MTC SUPERVISOR

Mr. William Bullock

SCHOOL LUNCH SUPERVISOR

Mrs. Cynthia Harlan

CUSTODIANS

Mr. Adrian Labrecque

Mr. Henry Barbeau

HOOKSETT BUS DRIVERS

Mrs. Gail Anderson
Mrs. Linda Lafond
Mrs. Lorraine Lavoie
Mrs. Brenda Lortz
Mrs. Claire Lyons
Mrs. Constance Nepveu
Mrs. Patricia Northrup
Mrs. Marguerite Paul
Mrs. Patricia Sack

Hookset Village School

Hooksett, N. H. 03106
Tel. 485-9890 or 485-9531

PRINCIPAL
Mr. Frederick Reischer

TEACHERS

Bergquist, Carleen	Grade 3
Boy, Karen	Grade 5
Boyd, Marc	Grade 6
Bradford, Viola	Grade 6
Davis, Karen	Grade 2
D'Espinosa, Jean	Grade 2
Johnson, Linda	Grade 6
Kling, Pilaroca	Grade 5
Lovering, Nancy	Grade 1
Masewic, Susan	Grade 4
McAllister, Linda	Grade 4
McDowell, Susanne	Grade 1
Norman , Merle	Special Ed.
Olson, Judith	Grade 1
Sullivan, Timothy	Grade 4
Thorell, Linda	Grade 3
Wright, Susan J.	Grade 3
Wright, Susan M.	Grade 5

LIBRARIAN

Mrs. Lee Collins

SECRETARY

Mrs. Barbara Tassie

Hooksett Village School

SCHOOL LUNCH
Mrs. Judith Barrett
Mrs. Madeleine Gagnon
Mrs. Diane Ashburner

LIBRARY AIDE
Mrs. Martha Collins

MUSIC
Sandra Ellis

CUSTODIANS
Mr. Clarence Smarz
Mr. Maurice St. Germain

TRAFFIC AIDE
Mrs. Ruth Greco
Mrs. Beverly Cournoyer

Hooksett Memorial

D. W. Highway, Hooksett, N. H. 03106
Tel. 485-9975

PRINCIPAL
Mr. John J. McCarthy III

TEACHERS

Barkie, Marcella	Grade 7-8
Brisson, Cynthia	Grade 7-8
Cox, A. Dean	Grade 7-8
Dufour, John	Grade 7-8
Fowler, Katherine	Grade 7-8
Gosselin, Denise	Grade 7-8
Hall, Maureen	Grade 7-8
Knowles, Lenwood	Grade 7-8
Merrow, Margo	Home Economics
Nevins, Carole	Grade 7-8
Tuohy, Richard	Grade 7-8
Woodcock, Denver	Grade 7-8

CUSTODIANS
Mr. Stanley Jaskolka
Mr. Robert Norton

AIDE
Mrs. Gaby Duhaime
Mrs. Carol Webster

SCHOOL LUNCH
Mrs. Bernice Fletcher
Mrs. Frances Fraser
Mrs. Elaine Langer

LIBRARIAN
Mrs. Stella Black
SECRETARY
Mrs. Sylvia Perkins

Fred C. Underhill School

Martin's Ferry Road, Manchester, N. H. 03104
Tel. 623-7233 or 668-3692

PRINCIPAL
Mr. George P. Sullivan

TEACHERS

Armstrong, Susan	Grade 6
Bennett, Susan	Grade 5
Blair, Barbara	Grade 4
Callaghan, Sharon	Grade 5
Danielson, Mary	Grade 4
Decota, Christine	Grade 1
Hill, Barbara	Grade 3
Lang, Kathleen	Grade 1
Louder, Nadine	Grade 3
McCarthy, Donna	Grade 6
Miner, Diane	Grade 2
Moreau, Cheryl	Grade 2
Noucas, Evangeline	Grade 5
Pelczar, Marilyn	Grade 1
Platt, Maureen	Grade 4
Roy, Karen	Grade 1
Woodman, Bonnie	Grade 2

LIBRARY AIDE

Mrs. Marcia Allen

SECRETARY
Mrs. Evelyn Bennet

SCHOOL LUNCH

Mrs. Villa French
Mrs. Beverly Morrison

Mrs. Lena Stoklosa
Mrs. Lorraine VanVliet

Record of the Minutes of the School Meeting

Hooksett School District
Records of the School Meeting
Held March 14, 1975

The Moderator, Oscar Morin, Jr., called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

The elected school officials were then introduced, and the rules of procedure for governing a school district meeting were read. The moderator also appointed Mrs. Patricia Sack as Assistant Moderator. The moderator also read into the record, the names of residents of Hooksett who served on the Hooksett School Study Committee. Gordon Moore, Chairman; Frank Bennet, David Hess, Arthur Sanborn, Ted Koehler, Pat Morrison, Kay Johnson.

Article #1 "To authorize the sum of $9,736.00 to cover the 1973-74 deficit in high school tuitions . . ." Motion made by Mr. Goodwin and seconded by Mr. Gerry Handley, voted in the affirmative.

Article #2 "To see if the district will vote to authorize the School Board to continue a study committee to study and evaluate the future needs of the district . . ." Motion made by Mr. William Fongeallaz, seconded by Roger Hibort, voted in the affirmative.

Article #3 "To see if the district will vote to authorize the School Board to accept on behalf of the district, any federal or state funds designed to improve Educational Opportunities . . ." Motion by Mr. Goodwin, seconded by Mr. William Fongeallaz, voted in the affirmative.

Article #4 "To see if the district will vote to authorize the School Board to accept and to spend, in the name of and in behalf of the School District, gifts for the use of the school . . ." Motion made by Mr. Goodwin, seconded by Mr. Roger Hebert.

Question: Mrs. Stott noted that some clubs (Woman's Club in Particular) do donate gifts, however they are not allowed the use of the school for free.

Answer: Mr. Sack, replied that this was because of the potential for vandalism if the janitorial people were not on hand and funds for paying them were not included in the budget committees budget. So that payment had to come from groups who use the building.

Voted in the affirmative.

Article #5 "To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agents of the district." This article was ruled unnecessary by the Moderator.

Article #6 "To hear the reports ot agents, auditors, committees, or officers chosen, and to pass any vote relating thereto." The School Board noted that because the Voucher Project had just been funded for the state that there was nothing new to report at this time, and that a full report would be given at the next district meeting.

Article #7 "To choose agents, auditors, and committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant." This article was not acted upon.

Article #8 "To see if the district will vote to accept the budget as submitted by the Budget Committee, or take any other action in relation thereto."
Motion made by Mr. Van Fliet, seconded by Oscar Morin, Sr.

Question: Mr. Fongeallaz, asked what is the increase in administrative salaries.

Answer: Mr. Sack replied that this was because of the extra time and meetings involved for the School Board members.

Question: Mr. Fongeallaz, who is paying for the cost of vandalism?
Answer: Mr. Van Fliet reported on the current vandalism problem, and noted that the insurance company covered most of the repairs.

Question: Dave Poisson asked, Do we anticipate a deficit in tuition next year?

Answer: Mr. Van Fliet reported that yes we do, because the School Board works only on an estimate for the School meeting and does not have a final figure until the end of the school year.

Article 8 was approved. The budget approved was $1,740,921.69.

Oscar Morin, Sr. moved we adjourn, Mr. Fongeallaz seconded.

Meeting adjourned at 7:25 p.m.

To the best of my ability
Respectfully submitted,

B. Allan Sprague
Clerk

Report of the Hooksett School District Elections

SESSION I

Polls were opened at 6 a.m. and closed at 7 p.m. by town moderator Richard Riley. The school district ballots were counted by Merle Blakley, George Gagnon, Edward Enright, Ruth Blakley, Lowell Apple, Ray Langer and Elaine Garon. They were supervised by Oscar Morin, Jr., school district moderator and B. Allan Sprague, clerk. Ballots were finished, sealed and delivered to the School Board at 7:35 p.m.

Oscar Morin, Jr. swore in Leo Sack, School Board and B. Allan Sprague, Clerk, at 7:45 p.m. on Tuesday, March 4, 1975.

Oscar Morin, Jr. was sworn in as Moderator by Richard Riley on Tuesday evening, March 4.

Results of the School District Election were:

Leo Sack, three-year term, School Board	726
Beatrice Bourbeau, one-year term, Treasurer	710
B. Allan Sprague, one-year term, Clerk	704
Oscar Morin, one-year term, Moderator	743

Respectfully submitted,

B. Allan Sprague
Clerk
To the best of my ability

School Warrant

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

TO THE INHABITANTS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT IN THE TOWN OF HOOKSETT QUALIFIED TO VOTE IN DISTRICT AFFAIRS:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Hooksett Memorial School in said District on the 12th day of March 1976 at seven o'clock in the evening, to act upon the following subjects:

1. BY PETITION: To see if the District will appropriate $350,000.00 or any other sum for the purpose of constructing and equipping an addition to the Hooksett Memorial Junior High School, and to determine whether any such appropriation shall be raised by borrowing or otherwise, or to take any other action relative thereto. (Submitted without recommendation by Budget Committee.)

2. BY PETITION: To see if the District will vote to authorize the School Board to permit the voluntary recitation of the Lord's Prayer in the elementary schools of the District in accordance with revised statutes annotated 194: 15-A of the State of New Hampshire.

3. To see if the voters of the District will increase membership on the School Board from three (3) to five (5) members commencing with the 1977-78 school year.

4. To see if the District will vote to authorize the School Board to accept on behalf of the District any federal or state funds designed to improve educational opportunities. Further, to see if the District will authorize the School Board to make application for said funds and then expend the same for such projects as it may designate.

5. To see if the District will vote to authorize the School Board to accept and to spend, in the name of and in behalf of the school district, gifts for the use of the school.

6. To see if the District will hold to adopt the Education Voucher Program for the school year 1976-77 in accordance with the rules and regulations of the program as they exist and as they may from time to time be amended by the State Board of Education; approving individual voucher value as follows for the school year 1976-77:

Basic Elementary	$1,086.00
Basic Middle/Jr. High	1,162.00
Basic Secondary	1,572.00
Special Education	
Vocational Education	

Raising and appropriating the sum of $621,900.00 to fund the Education Voucher Program; and authorizing the School Board to do all things necessary, including the right to receive and expend all federal and/or state funds available to the District under the program, including also the right to enter into agreements with the State Board of Education in order to implement the program as set forth above. (Not recommended by Budget Committee.)

7. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agents of the District.

8. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and to pass any vote relating thereto.

9. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this Warrant.

10. To see if the District will vote accept the Budget as submitted by the Budget Committee, or take any other action in relation thereto.

Given under our hands this 14th day of February, A.D. 1976.

JAMES E. VanVLIET
ROBERT J. COLLINS
LEO G. SACK
School Board of Hooksett, N. H.

WARRANT

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

TO THE INHABITANTS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT, IN THE TOWN OF HOOKSETT, QUALIFIED TO VOTE IN DISTRICT AFFAIRS:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Hooksett Memorial School, in said District, on the second day of March, 1976, at 6:00 o'clock in the morning, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary District Officers for the year ensuing.

POLLS WILL BE OPEN FROM 6:00 A.M. to 7:00 P.M.

Given under our hands and seal this 3rd day of February, 1976.

James E. Van Vliet

Robert J. Collins, Jr.

Leo G. Sack

School Board of Hooksett, N. H.

A true copy of Warrant - Attest:

James E. Van Vliet

Robert J. Collins, Jr.

Leo G. Sack

School Board of Hooksett, N. H.

Hooksett School Board Report

Significant in the past year are the many areas of interest to the Hooksett School District beyond the normal and routine operation of the schools.

One area is the participation in the formulation of plans for a vocational facility for high school students in Manchester to which Hooksett tuition students would be eligible to attend. Funding by the State for this project has not been approved for Manchester this year.

Another area is the Voucher Project, a concept that would allow parents to use a set amount of public money to send their children to an approved school of tneir choice. This has been researched as to the effects it would have upon the public school system as it now stands.

The Southeastern Regional Education Service Center, of which Supervisory Union #15 is a member, is an organization formed by several Supervisory Unions for the purpose of researching the special needs of school children, developing plans to meet those needs, secure funding for the programs and implement them. wWe believe this program will allow better placement for those children with special needs.

New laws and their effect on the system have consumed many hours of time. The right of due process, discrimination, handicapped children's rights, public employee negotiations and the rights of students have been carefully reviewed.

One of the most thorough studies of school needs has been conducted by the Hooksett School Study Committee. Their report and recommendations are included in this School Report. We wish to publicly thank them for a job well done..

Soaring cost of supplies, heat, utilities, etc., make it increasingly difficult to offer the standard of education to our children that we are accustomed to. Yet, by realigning our teaching staff, a guidance counselor has been added to our staff. This is a position for which we felt there was a definite need. We have also been able to offer a Home Economics Program at the Junior High level at a minimal cost. Space for this program has been provided by Mount Saint Mary College without charge. This program has proved to be very successful and it is a program we hope to keep operating in the future.

We wish to thank the many organizations, our staff, the administration and the many individuals who have contributed to make our system one in which we take great pride.

The Hooksett School Board

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

The format of my report for the 1974-75 school year, in conjunction with the Chairman of SERESC is more specific in nature and has a direct bearing upon the community of Hooksett as well as other communities within the State.

It is our responsibility to help the handicapped. Moreover, it is required by state law. In New Hampshire, there is inadequate state money needed to do the job for these 'special needs pupils' whether they live in poorer or wealthier towns. This puts local school boards in a "bind": Its moral and legal responsibility to provide vs. its ability to do so.

What is required by the law and can we possibly comply with it?

The law applies to handicapped children from birth to age 21.

Handicapped conditions are those which reduce a person's capacity for education or ultimate self support. They fall into the areas of physical, intellectual and emotional.

These categories are not necessarily distinct, they may overlap and blend into each other. Each child's 'special need' is somewhat different and often involved help from a number of supplemental personnel and special education teachers - requiring a team effort from 'multi-disciplines.'

The law places particular responsibility upon schools to protect the rights of pupils and parents through fair and regular evaluation of pupils, parent permission prior to any special change in placement or program and process by which decisions may be appealed.

All in all, these are heavy legal requirements added to our moral responsibility and, except for foresight, planning and steps already taken, we might be totally unready and inadequate to the task.

Two years ago, eight school superintendents, including myself, began meeting with Arthur Jillette, of the State Department of Education, Special Education Section. Recognizing the unmet needs of many handicapped children, and in anticipation of the new law, they concluded that the best way to attempt to meet the challenge was through a joint effort.

Seven superintendents, with a planning grant, formed a non-profit corp. called the Southeastern Regional Education Service Center (SERESC) of which they and seven school board members were the Board of Directors. It has been my privilege to have Mr. Hughin Holt as representative of Supervisory Union #15 - Raymond - serve as Chairman of SERESC's Board of Directors.

The top priority for this year would be to provide extended testing services to schools through referral to SERESC. Representatives of most of the member school districts met periodically during the year and the summer, to develop comprehensive processes for the referral, evaluation and placement of pupils which were in compliance with the complex federal laws and state guidelines.

At the present, staff members from the various SERESC areas who have responsibility for coordinating special education programs are meeting periodically to plan for the next phase of SERESC's operations beginning next September. An effort will be made to develop more and better special education programming within the many SERESC school districts. Many pupils who do not now have adequate special help will then receive it in their own or a nearby school district. A number of children who are now attending special schools away from their homes will be brought back into new programs in the area.

Using Federal Funds channeled through the State and SERESC there will be a concerted effort to find pre-schoolers, who need service. If we are to maximize the opportunities for these children to lead the best and most productive lives possible we must intervene and get the best help to them at an early age.

In my opinion, the District of Hooksett has taken significant stride in the solution of problems faced by the handicapped child and his parent.

Respectfully submitted,

David R. Cawley, Superintendent of Schools

Village School Report

1974-75

Each year seems to present its own unique set of experiences. This year's energies were directed toward maintaining high scholastic and social standards. In order for the school to strive toward these goals, emphasis is placed on reading, mathematics, proper social mores and enjoyment of school.

For a school to be effective it must have goals and direction and people who can carry out assorted assignments that lead toward these goals. The people that perform these functions at the Village School are the staff members (teachers, nurses, secretaries, librarians, cooks, custodians) who help make school an enjoyable place to learn and play.

Last year I indicated the worth of our staff and my feelings have not diminished in the least. The staff's work with your children has been and still is first class. This year's report will describe what progress has been made in reaching the academic and social goals at the Hooksett Village School during this past year.

Judgments socially are, at best, subjective. We have set certain standards for the children and most judgment comes from how they act within the school and when they go into public during field trips and athletic contests.

I feel that we expect more from our children because we want the best out of them. When we send our children out to other schools, or to places throughout this state and others, the feed-back is always positive. Whether it is to science camp with grade five, the museum with grade two, Strawbery Banke with grade four, the baseball game with six, the Stoneham Zoo with grade three or the Friendly Farm with grade one the comments are always positive about the students from the Village School.

Teachers as well as parents put in a great deal of time in having the children put out their best when in public and dealing with others in their classroom.

Much time is put in by the teachers in the primary and intermediate grades to help the children realize what is expected of them when they are in public and how to interact with their peers and adults. I always feel that more could be done or that the children could act and react better, however, as with all parents, teachers and administrators who really care about their children, we want them to go into public and make a good impression as this is reflected on the home, school and community.

Academically, there are many ways in which to measure a child's progress. Probably the most important of these are the day-to-day evaluations made by the classroom teachers. Each day the teachers and the child come into contact with each other, forming a learning bond that lasts for 180 days of each school year. The individual teacher has goals and expectations for each child and during the year tries to use all available resources to have each child reach their own individual potential. As the year goes on, the teacher and child work to reinforce old and obtain new skills in the basic academic areas.

During this time through written and oral work, testing, talking and teaching the child the teacher is constantly evaluating each child's individual progress. The teacher will either feel good about a certain student's progress or will have doubts to whether a certain student is progressing as well as he or she should. At the end of each school year each student is given a standardized achievement test. This test is only an indication of what a child does on a certain test, at a certain time and under a certain set of conditions.

The value of this achievement test is to measure a child's growth against himself over the years. After a couple of years an individual child's profile can be traced to plot his basic growth. Another value of the achievement test is to measure the Hooksett Village School against other schools nationally, this is done by correlating the percentile ratings and the stanines. The third value of the test is to measure each grade level against itself.

In the three years I have been at the Village School, reading and mathematics have been emphasized. The feeling I have is that, if a child can read and perform mathematics with some proficiency he will perform well in most anything he undertakes including his future. During this time the children have shown a great deal of academic growth as measured by the achievement test.

This year, 1974-75, the results of the testing indicated that five of our grades were at or up to a year and two months beyond grade level. This means that a majority of our students are working at or above grade level. The testing statistics indicated that 315 of our 365 students were at or above their grade level.

When comparing the children's percentile rankings with those percentile rankings nationally, in the areas of reading and mathematics the Village School's achievement was above that of the standards used nationally in many of the subject areas. This is an indication of stronger competition locally as the child is out performing the standards set up by the maker of the test. The above is very encouraging and continual growth is one of our main goals.

The third area of the school's philosophy, enjoyment of school, has to be included on the priority list. I feel that a child learns more and tries harder when he likes the structure called school. We discipline the students but try to be fair, we develop many avenues for special talents, we try to treat the children as individuals with worth and we maintain a concern for their health, safety and welfare. Our responsibility to the child and the parent is a difficult and important one. We, of the Village staff, can only do what is possible within our learning and experience but it is done with feeling and care.

Frederick H. . Reischer
Principal

Hooksett Memorial School Report

HOOKSETT, N. H.

Town Report 1975-76

The Memorial Junior High School seeks to prepare each student for a successful academic career at the High School level. The curriculum emphasizes basic skills necessary in Mathematics, Social Studies, English, Science and Reading in order to achieve this goal. Expanded areas within the curriculum have proved very successful such as Algebra, French and English Literature offered to students with the ability to achieve in these areas. Laboratory experimentation will continue at both grade levels in live and physical Science. Consumer Education will continue to be offered to eighth grade students emphasizing skills in marketing, taxation, legal and social responsibilities.

New areas of study will be offered in the school year 1975-76. Career Education will be introduced at the seventh grade for one half year. Also, Home Economics will be offered at both grade levels for one half year.

In the curriculum areas of Art, Music, and Physical Education student participation was excellent which was manifest by outstanding concerts, gymnastic shows and art exhibits.

The Science Fair conducted by the students under the leadership of the Science Teachers continues to be an outstanding school event showing the talents and ingenuity of Memorial students.

A Drama Club was formed and produced numerous outstanding plays under the direction of Mrs. Denise Gosselin. More productions are planned for the school year 1975-76.

The boys and girls athletic teams performed admirably with each individual participant conducting himself in a manner which was a credit to the students, coaches and community.

The Special Education program, new last year, will continue to provide individualized instruction for students who have learning problems at the Junior High level.

The Cultural Exchange Program sponsored by Mount St. Mary College proved to be most worthwhile offering our students many opportunities to see and hear performers and artists of multiple talents. Hopefully, this association with the college will continue.

I feel the school year of 1974-75 was a very successful one due to the talent and dedication of the staff and faculty at Hooksett Memorial School. There is every indication to be optimistic that the coming school year will be even a better one.

Respectfully submitted,

John J. McCarthy, III
Principal

Underhill School Report

One of the main issues that I foresee in the future in public education is who shall control the schools. Though the founding fathers answered this question in the affirmative when they delegated public education to the people, it is a question that bears watching. Local and state control of education is a basic principle that must never be surrendered. Under it, our schools are dedicated to equality of opportunity for each student to develop his potential qualities to the utmost, freedom of choice for each student in preparing for his goals in life, and belief in the worth and dignity of the individual.

Equality of opportunity does not imply identical opportunity or identical achievement. True education produces inequality, the inequality of success. True progress is measured by inequality of talent, not standardization and mediocrity.

If local control is to continue, the programs of the Hooksett schools must be decided by the people's understanding of what constitutes good schools and how the quality of public education helps to build the nation's future. Today, as never before, the people must be on guard to this end.

Lately, individuals and groups motivated by specialized interests have tried to impose their will on curriculums and organization of public schools. They have tried to censor textbooks, restrict academic freedom, impose loyalty oaths on teachers, alter the purposes of the schools, and oppose adequate financial support of the schools.

These are some of the ways the wills of minorities try to substitute for decision making by all the people. To the degree that citizens default in decision making, the greater the danger that they will open control of the schools to those who would change the basic philosophy of American public education. Remember, schools should remain in the hands of the majority in local communities.

Respectfully submitted,

George Sullivan

Supervisory Union No. 15

SUPERINTENDENT'S SALARY 1974-75

Auburn	$3,016.00
Candia	2,620.15
Hooksett	7,860.45
Raymond	5,353.40
	$18,850.00
State Share	2,750.00
	21.600.00

ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT'S SALARY

Auburn	2,256.00
Candia	1,959.90
Hooksett	5,879.70
Raymond	4,004.40
	14,100.00
State Share	2,400.00
	16,500.00

1975-76 BUDGET OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF HOOKSETT,N.H.

PURPOSE OF APPROPRIATION	Approved Budget 1975-76	School Boord's Budget 1976-77	Recommended 1976-77	Submitted Without Recommendation
ADMINISTRATION				
Salaries	4,320.00	4,320.00	4,320.00	
Contracted Services	1,100.00	12,000.00	12,000.00	
Other Expenses	1,550.00	1,862.00	1,862.00	
INSTRUCTION				
Salaries	590,277.00	629,056.00	609,511.00	
Textbooks	10,237.34	9,476.00	9,476.00	
Library & Audiovisual Materials	10,080.00	15,277.00	12,000.00	
Teaching Supplies	25,440.00	31,636.00	27,484.00	
Contracted Services	6,431.00	5,769.00	5,769.00	
Other Expenses	9,650.00	12,870.00	11,670.00	
HEALTH SERVICES	7,650.00	8,332.00	8,332.00	
PUPIL TRANSPORTATION	73,444.00	76,577.00	72,243.00	
OPERATION OF PLANT				
Salaries	40,278.00	42,670.40	42,670.40	
Supplies	8,800.00	8,800.00	8,800.00	
Heat	38,000.00	38,000.00	38,000.00	
Utilities	22,995.00	24,925.00	24,925.00	
MAINTENANCE OF PLANT	28,306.25	22,608.00	21,567.00	
FIXED CHARGES				
Employee Retirement & F.I.C.A.	56,353.00	60,259.00	59,536.00	
Insurance	29,880.00	31,880.00	31,880.00	
Rent	35.00	3,500.00	35.00	
SCHOOL LUNCH & SPEC. MILK PROGRAM	40,000.00	47,500.00	47,500.00	
STUDENT-BODY ACTIVITIES	3,354.00	4,188.00	4,188.00	
COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES	50.00	50.00	50.00	
CAPITAL OUTLAY				
Sites		10.00	10.00	
Buildings		350,010.00	10.00	350,000.00
Equipment	4,412.00	5,591.00	5,000.00	
DEBT SERVICE				
Principal of Debt	65,000.00	65,000.00	65,000.00	
Interest on Debt	20,847.50	29,372.00	18,372.00	11,000.00
OUTGOING TRANSFER ACCOUNTS IN STATE				
Tuition	570,000.00	598,050.00	580,500.00	
Supervisory Union Expenses	37,074.60	40,879.14	40,879.14	
Payments into Cap. Res. Funds	4,000.00	4,000.00	4,000.00	
EXPENDITURES TO OTHER THAN PUB. SCHOOLS	21,621.00	31,704.00	31,704.00	
Summer School		900.00	900.00	
Deficit Approp.	9,736.00			
Voucher Account		621,900.00	0	
TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS	1,740,921.69	2,838,971.54	1,800,193.54	361,000.00

REVENUES & CREDITS AVAILABLE TO REDUCE SCHOOL TAXES	Approved Revenues 1975-76	School Board's Budget 1976-77	Budget Committee 1976-77
Unencumbered Balance	22,634.21		
Revenue from State Sources:			
Sweepstakes	34,855.33	34,855.33	34,855.33
School Building Aid	19,812.77	19,812.77	19,812.77
Driver Education	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00
Foster Children	900.00	1,200.00	1,200.00
Revenue from Federal Sources:			
School Lunch & Special Milk Progrom	20,000.00	27,500.00	27,500.00
Voucher Grant		612,852.00	0
Local Revenue Except Taxes:			
Driver Education	1,750.00	1,750.00	1,750.00
Other Revenue from Local Sources Bus Fares	6,500.00	7,000.00	7,000.00
Summer Programs		900.00	900.00
Bonds-Notes & Capital Res. Funds:			
Bond or Note Issues		350,000.00	0
TOTAL SCHOOL REVENUES and CREDITS	108,452.31	1,057,870.10	95,018.10
DISTRICT ASSESSMENT	1,632,469.38	1,781,101.44	1,705,175.44
TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS	1,740,921.69	2,838,971.54	1,800,193.54

Reimbursement for losses of taxes voted by 1970 Special Session 1975:	Municipal	County	School	Total
	65,056.	10,965.	154,966.	230,987
	61,977.	10,443.	147,587.	220,007

Detail on items under Capital Outlay in 1976-77 Budget to be financed by bonds, notes and/or withdrawals from capital reserve funds:

PURPOSE Addition to Hooksett Memorial Jr. High AMOUNT $350,000.00

HOOKSETT SCHOOL DISTRICT

Statement of Debt Service Requirements
Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1975

	Underhill School Bonds		School Bonds		School Bonds		Village School Bonds			
Amount of Original Issue	3.90%		3.60%		3.40%		4.10%			
	$210,000.00		$405,000.00		$230,000.00		$475,000.00			
Date of Original Issue	July 18, 1957		May 1, 1961		August 15, 1965		September 15, 1967			
Principal Payable Date	June 15th		May 1st		August 15th		September 15th			
Interest Payable Dates	June 15 & December 15th		May 1st & Nov. 1st		Feb. 15th & August 15th		March 15th & September 15th			
Payable At	The Merchants National Bank of Boston		New England Merchants National Bank of Boston		New England Merchants National Bank of Boston		New England Merchants National Bank of Boston			
									---------Total---------	
Maturities - Fiscal Year Ending:	Principal	Interest	Principal	Interest	Principal	Interest	Principal	Interest	Principal	Interest
June 30, 1975	10,000.00	1,560.00	20,000.00	5,040.00	10,000.00	3,910.00	25,000.00	12,812.50	65,000.00	23,322.50
June 30, 1976	10,000.00	1,170.00	20,000.00	4,320.00	10,000.00	3,570.00	25,000.00	11,787.50	65,000.00	20,847.50
June 30, 1977	10,000.00	780.00	20,000.00	3,600.00	10,000.00	3,230.00	25,000.00	10,762.50	65,000.00	18,372.50
June 30, 1978	10,000.00	390.00	20,000.00	2,880.00	10,000.00	2,890.00	25,000.00	9,737.50	65,000.00	15,897.50
June 30, 1979			20,000.00	2,160.00	10,000.00	2,550.00	25,000.00	8,712.50	55,000.00	13,422.50
June 30, 1980			20,000.00	1,440.00	10,000.00	2,210.00	25,000.00	7,687.50	55,000.00	11,337.50
June 30, 1981			20,000.00	720.00	10,000.00	1,870.00	25,000.00	6,662.50	55,000.00	9,252.50
June 30, 1982					10,000.00	1,530.00	25,000.00	5,637.50	35,000.00	7,167.50
June 30, 1983					10,000.00	1,190.00	25,000.00	4,612.50	35,000.00	5,802.50
June 30, 1984					10,000.00	850.00	20,000.00	3,690.00	30,000.00	4,540.00
June 30, 1985					10,000.00	510.00	20,000.00	2,870.00	30,000.00	3,380.00
June 30, 1986					10,000.00	170.00	20,000.00	2,050.00	30,000.00	2,220.00
June 30, 1987							20,000.00	1,230.00	20,000.00	1,230.00
June 30, 1988							20,000.00	410.00	20,000.00	410.00

REPORT
OF AN EXAMINATION AND AUDIT
OF THE ACCOUNTS
OF THE
HOOKSETT SCHOOL DISTRICT
MADE BY
THE DIVISION OF MUNICIPAL ACCOUNTING
STATE TAX COMMISSION

May 14, 1975

SUMMARY OF FINDINGS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

The School Board
Hooksett School District
Hooksett, New Hampshire 03106

Gentlemen:

Submitted herewith is the report of the examination and audit of the accounts of the Hooksett School District for the fiscal years ended June 30, 1973 and June 30, 1974, which was made by this Division in accordance with the vote of the District. Exhibits as hereafter listed are included as part of the report.

SCOPE OF AUDIT

Included in the examination and audit were the accounts and records of the School Board, School District Treasurer, School Lunch Program, Memorial School Principal's Account, Hooksett Village School Principal's Account and the Fred C. Underhill School Principal's Account.

FINANCIAL INFORMATION

General Fund:

Comparative Balance Sheets: (Exhibit 1 and 16)

Comparative Balance Sheets as of June 30, 1972 and June 30, 1973 are presented in Exhibit 1. As indicated therein, the current surplus increased by $3,987, from $9,249 to $13,236, during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1973.

Comparative Balance Sheets as of June 30, 1973 and June 30, 1974 are presented in Exhibit 16. As indicated therein, the current surplus increased by $31,364, from $13,236 to $44,600, during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1974.

Analysis of Change in Current Financial Condition: (Exhibit 2 and 17)

Analyses of change in current financial condition of the School District for the above years are made in Exhibit 2 and 17, with the factors which caused the change indicated therein. These were as follows:

Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1973:

Increase in Current Surplus:

Net Budget Surplus	$13,236

Decrease in Current Surplus:

Surplus Used to Reduce School Tax	9,249
Net Increase in Current Surplus	$3,987

Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1974:

Increase in Current Surplus:

Net Budget Surplus	$43,798

Decrease in Current Surplus:

Surplus Used to Reduce School Tax	12,434
Net Increase in Current Surplus	$31,364

Comparative Statements of Appropriations and Expenditures - Estimated and Actual Revenues: (exhibit 3, 4, 18 and 19)

Comparative Statements of Appropriations and Expenditures, estimated and actual revenues for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1973, are presented in Exhibits 3 and 4; similar statements for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1974 are presented in Exhibits 18 and 19.

As indicated by the Budget Summaries (Exhibits 4 and 19), a revenue surplus of $13,059, plus a net unexpended balance of appropriations of $177, resulted in a net budget surplus of $13,236 at June 30, 1973; a revenue surplus of $6,413 plus a net unexpended

balance of appropriations of $37,385 resulted in a net budget surplus of $43,798 at June 30, 1974.

Long-Term Indebtedness:

Comparative Balance Sheets: (Exhibits 5 and 20)

Comparative Balance Sheets as of June 30, 1972 and June 30, 1973 are presented in Exhibit 5. Comparative Balance Sheets as of June 30, 1973 and June 30, 1974 are presented in Exhibit 20.

Statements of Debt Service Requirements: (Exhibits 6 and 21)

Statements of the outstanding long-term indebtedness of the School District as of June 30, 1973 and June 30, 1974, showing annual debt service requirements, are contained in Exhibits 6 and 21.

TREASURER

General Fund:

Classified Statements of Receipts and Expenditures: (Exhibits 7 and 22)

Classified Statements of Receipts and Expenditures for the fiscal years ended June 30, 1973 and June 30, 1974, made up in accordance with the uniform classification of accounts, are presented in Exhibits 7 and 22.

Capital Projects Fund:

Village School Building Fund: (Exhibits 8 and 23)

The activities of the Village School Building Fund for the fiscal years ended June 30, 1973 and June 30, 1974 are reflected in Exhibits 8 and 23.

Cash With Fiscal Agents:

Statements of Account: (Exhibits 9 and 24)

Statements showing the activity of the cash with fiscal agents for the fiscal years ended June 30, 1973 and June 30, 1974 are presented in Exhibits 9 and 24.

SCHOOL TAX ACCOUNT

Statements of School Tax Account: (Exhibits 15 and 30)

Statements of the school tax with the Town of Hooksett are presented in Exhibits 15 and 30.

As indicated in Exhibit 15, at June 30, 1973 the School District received a total of $1,129,432 which represented the total amount of 1972-73 school tax.

Exhibit 30 shows School District receipts of $1,335,927, which include the amount of $1,316,552 as voted at the annual School District Meeting in March 1973, and a deficit appropriation of $19,375 which was voted at the March 1, 1974 School District meeting to cover an anticipated excess expenditure for tuition in fiscal year 1973-74.

GENERAL COMMENTS

TREASURER

General Fund:

The audit of the general fund revealed that the Treasurer had not reconciled this fund to the bank statement since November 1972. This was evidenced by the checks and bank statements in the original, and in some instances unopened, envelopes from the bank. The checks, therefore, had to be sorted for the period under audit.

The audit further revealed that cancelled and voided checks were not adjusted in all instances by the Treasurer in the cash journal. Errors in posting were also noted in these records. Adjustments were made by the auditors which resulted in a reduction in the cash balance of $224.61 as of June 30, 1974.

It should be emphasized that good accounting practices dictate that the Treasurer should reconcile the cash balance each month upon receipt of the bank statement in order to prove the transactions of the period and to provide the School District officials with the correct amount of funds available.

Cash With Fiscal Agents:

The audit revealed that no attempt was made by the Treasurer to reconcile the Cash With Fiscal Agents (Bond and Coupon) account

as evidenced by the fact that among the records received by the auditors were several sealed envelopes containing bank statements, coupons, etc. Included in the June 1973 envelope were coupons of the Hooksett Water Precinct amounting to $190 which were charged in error by the Suncook Bank to the School District account. This error has been corrected by the bank upon notification by the auditors.

Those cancelled bonds and coupons which had been sorted and reviewed by the Treasurer for the fiscal years 1971 thru 1974 were intermingled without regard to cancellation dates. This made it extremely difficult for the auditors to properly reconcile the account for each fiscal year.

R.S.A. 33:12 states, "The treasurer of every municipal corporation shall keep a register, in such form as may be prescribed by the department of revenue administration, which shall state the denomination, number and date of every bond or note issued by the municipality, the time when and the place where principal thereof and interest, if any, thereon are payable and such other information as the department of revenue administration may prescribe. The department of revenue administration shall inspect the register provided for herein whenever it shall make any audit of the accounts of a municipal corporation."

The Treasurer of the Hooksett School District does not maintain such a register even though this matter was mentioned by previous auditors. It is our recommendation that the required register be procured immediately.

SCHOOL LUNCH PROGRAM

The auditors encountered a great deal of difficulty reconciling the records of the school lunch program. The receipts and expenditures had not been reconciled to the bank balance because, as stated by the Director, she was informed that such reconciliation was not possible. It was necessary to make 33 adjusting entries to the receipts journals and 35 adjustments to the expenditures journals for the fiscal year 1972-73. Many of the admustments had to be apportioned to all three journals maintained for the program. Similar adjustments were necessary for the fiscal year 1973-74. The director has been intormed in writing, as well as orally, as to the correct method of recording receipts and expenditures in the cash journals.

SCHOOL PRINCIPALS' ACCOUNT

The principals' funds at all three schools are used in part as petty cash funds for small cash expenses of the schools as well as for student activities. Because of the lack of supporting data, it is impossible to make a clear determination as to the purposes of the funds; likewise, it is not possible to ascertain that revenues from each fund are used for their respective purposes. As shown by Exhibit 27, three of the funds in the Memorial School Principal's account are overdrawn. In two of the funds, no attempt is made to segregate funds. It was further noted that there were no bills or invoices to cover expenditures. Distribution of expenses was made from explanations recorded on check book stubs. It is recommended that bills and invoices be retained as supporting data for all expenditures and that the various funds be segregated for all three principals' accounts.

Conclusion:

The provisions of Chapter 71-A; Section 21, require that the auditors' summary to findings and recommendations (letter of transmittal) shall be published in the next annual report of the Hooksett School District. Publication of the Exhibits contained in this audit report is optional at the discretion of the School Board. This letter, however, must be published in its entirety.

We extend our thanks to the officials of the Hooksett School District for their assistance during the course of the audit.

Very truly yours,

Frederick E. Laplante
Director
DIVISION OF MUNICIPAL ACCOUNTING
DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE ADMINISTRATION

HOOKSETT STATISTICAL REPORT

1974-75

Number of half days in session	360
Total enrollments	1,083
Percent of attendance	95.71
Average daily membership	1,011.52

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE
Department of Revenue Administration

Certificate of Audit

This is to certify that we have examined and audited the accounts and records of the Hooksett School District for the fiscal years ended June 30, 1973 and June 30, 1974.

Our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and accordingly, included such tests of the accounting records and such other auditing procedures as were considered necessary in the circumstances.

In our opinion the accompanying balance sheets and statements of sources of revenues and expenditures present fairly the financial position of the Hooksett School District at June 30, 1973 and June 30, 1974, and the results of its operations for the years then ended, in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles applicable to governmental entities, applied on a basis consistent with that of the preceding fiscal years.

Respectfully submitted,

Frederick E. Laplante
Director
DIVISION OF MUNICIPAL ACCOUNTING
DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE ADMINISTRATION

YEARLY REPORT OF THE SCHOOL LUNCH PROGRAM

TOWN OF HOOKSETT -- 1974-1975
SCHOOLS: UNDERHILL, MEMORIAL AND VILLAGE

RECEIPTS:	
National School Lunch Funds	$24,092.09
District General Fund	$15,000.00
LUNCH SALES:	
Children	$42,157.09
Adult	$2,531.20
MILK SALES	
Children	$3,322.64
Adult	$178.50
CASH ON HAND JUNE 30, 1974	$769.51
	$88,051.03
EXPENSES:	
Food	$39,055.34
Labor	$36,672.40
Milk	$5,000.36
Expendable Supplies	$601.73
Cash on Hand June 30, 1975	$6,721.20
	$88,051.03
MEALS SERVED FOR THE SCHOOL YEAR:	
Children Paid	97,702
Adult Paid	3,616
Reduced & Free	17,992
Special Milk	
Children	53,205
Adult	1,785
Free Milk	11,487
Charge for Children's Meals	45¢
Charge for Adult Meals	70¢
Charge per 1/2 pt. Milk (pupil)	06¢
Charge per 1/2 pt. Milk (Adult)	10¢

SCHOOL LUNCH DIRECTOR

CYNTHIA HARLAN

Report of the School District Treasurer

for the

Fiscal Year July 1, 1974 to June 30, 1975

SUMMARY

Cash on Hand July 1, 1974 (Treasurer's bank balance)	47,246.60
Received from Selectmen (Include only amounts actually received)	1,396,430.52
Deficit Appropriation	9,736.00
Revenue from State Sources	50,672.90
Revenue from Federal Sources	24,092.09
Received from Tuitions	1,683.48
Received from Capital Reserve Funds	20,000.00
Received from all Other Sources	17,701.52
TOTAL RECEIPTS	1,520,316.51
TOTAL AMOUNT AVAILABLE FOR FISCAL YEAR (Balance and Receipts)	1,567,563.11
LESS SCHOOL BOARD ORDERS PAID	1,521,225.03
BALANCE ON HAND JUNE 30, 1975 (Treasurer's Bank Balance)	46,338.00

June 30, 1975

Beatrice Bourbeau
District Treasurer

Annual School Health Service Report
1974-75

Pupils Examined	1,044
Vision Tests	1,044
Hearing Tests	1,044
Inspections	1,044
Heights	1,044
Weights	1,044
First Aid	1,514

Defects Found by School Nurse-Teacher	No. Cases	Number of Pupils Tested By Family Physician
Vision	21	19
Hearing	7	6
Skin	2	2
Scalp	1	1
Posture	1	1
Teeth	24	17
Tonsils	11	7
Total	67	53

Clinics and Special Referrals	Date	No. Examined	No. Children Tested
Mental Hygiene	1974-1975	9	9
Preschool Registration	5/12-5/15/75	107	
Orthopedic	1974-1975	1	1

Patricia A. Moore, R.N.

David R. Cawley

Report Of The Hooksett School Study Committee

On June 11, 1974, the Hooksett School Board charged the School Study Committee with studying and evaluating the future building needs of the District. In complying with this charge, the Committee reviewed previous school districts studies and conducted four surveys to acquire concrete information about the attitudes and opinions of Hooksett citizens. The results of these studies were published in their entirety in the School District Annual Report of March, 1975. Based upon this report, the Study Committee was continued with the charge updated to include particular consideration of three specific subjects: (A) Continuation of the Committee's ongoing study; (B) Involvement with the voucher project; and (C) Discussions with surrounding communities concerning their educational goals and future plans.

The results of the 1974 surveys suggested a number of avenues for further study. They disclosed that Hooksett citizens favored a public kindergarten by a 3.5 to 1 margin, favored guidance counselors in the Memorial School by a ratio of 4 to 1, favored more vocational training in the schools by a ratio of more than 7 to 1, and showed considerable ambivalence and uncertainty about our current high school arrangement with the City of Manchester. Several of these sentiments were shared by ninth grade students who had graduated from Memorial School the previous year. In the survey of high school freshmen, the students indicated by a 3 to 2 margin that they felt a guidance counselor at the seventh and eight grade level would have been helpful to them in their transition to high school. By a margin of better than 15 to 1, they responded that they would have liked to have had some manual training in the seventh and eighth grades prior to attending high school.

As a result of these responses, your committee elected to explore several specific areas. These were: (1) The viability of establishing a public kindergarten in Hooksett; (2) A review of the present high school arrangement with the City of Manchester and an evaluation of alternative secondary school programs; and (3) A comprehensive review of the Memorial School program for grades seven and eight. In our discussions, we concluded that it would be impractical to institute a public kindergarten in the Hooksett school system at this time. Such an expansion would involve the construction of eight to ten classrooms at two locations, and we felt that the District was not prepared to undertake this type of capital investment at this time.

We reached a similar conclusion with respect to alternative high school programs. During the year, the committee met or consulted with school officials from all of the surrounding communities regarding their educational plans and their interest in discussing common secondary school educational goals with Hooksett. With the exception of Bow, these towns either were not interested in; or were not in a position to seriously discuss, such matters with us. During a joint meeting with Bow officials, we discovered Bow was at approximately the same stage as we were in evaluating present and future high school plans. However, we concluded after our meeting that it would be impossible to make any concrete arrangements with Bow in the immediate future regarding a common educational program.

Based upon these efforts, we concluded that the only alternative to our current high school arrangement with Manchester was a separate Hooksett High School. We further concluded that such a project would have to be undertaken on the realistic belief that no other school district would join us in this venture. This Committee strongly disapproved of the present arrangement with Manchester under which Hooksett officials have no control of, or influence over, the secondary education of Hooksett children. We also object to the financial aspect of this arrangement whereby Manchester officials unilaterally compute and establish the tuition rate for Hooksett students without any review by our legal accountability to Hooksett school officials. We note that under this arrangement, the tuition fees Hooksett taxpayers have paid Manchester have risen uncontrollably in recent years from $676. per student in 1971 to 1139. per student in the last school year.

Despite these reservations, however, the Committee concluded that the town was simply not in a position to change this arrangement and embark upon a major high school program of its own. A frank appraisal of the capital and operating expenses necessary to build and maintain a Hooksett High School convinced us that this alternative was not now financially feasible.

The Study Committee has also been in continuing contact with the Voucher Project. As a result of these consultations, two questions requested by the Study Committee were included in a professional public opinion survey conducted in 100 Hooksett households.

The questions and responses thereto are printed as Appendix 1 to this report. As the Voucher Project was only completing its initial phase at the time we had to proceed with the charge, however, it was impossible tor us to work more closely with these officials on other aspects ot that project.

The Committee then proceeded to conduct an in-depth evaluation of the present educational program at Memorial School. Our study led us to the following conclusions. With the exception of a bulge in student enrollments which can be expected in the two year period beginning with 1977, Hooksett school enrollment figures indicate that our student population in grades seven and eight will remain almost constant tor the foreseeable tuture. This conclusion is based upon a direct annual projection of current enrollment figures in the lower grades in Hooksett schools. See Appendix II. While your Committee recognizes that this method is not foolproof, a review of past enrollment figures indicates that over a span ot approximately one decade, reliance on such a method has proven generally accurate. Moreover, recent construction trends within the town and general economic considerations nationally provide no reason to believe that enrollment will grow at an excessive rate in the immediate tuture.

Regarding the current utilization of the Memorial School physical plant, we learned that all ten regular classrooms are used literally to capacity. In addition, one-half of the library is used for regular instruction, thereby disrupting the normal use of that vital facility. Further, to accommodate the special education class conducted at Memorial School, the health room of the school has been converted into a classroom. Finally, because of the lack ot available instructional space, the stage of the gymnasium is occasionally used tor instructional purposes.

As part ot our evaluation of the Memorial School, the Committee also compared that curriculum with those in surrounding communities. School programs were reviewed in Manchester, Londonderry, Raymond, Bow, Concord, Pembroke, Candia, and Auburn. As part of the evaluation, we visited the physical plants of Hillside Junior High School in Manchester, Memorial Junior High School in Bow, and Rundlett Junior High School in Concord. We felt that we already were familiar with Pembroke from our consultation and meetings with Pembroke school officials in 1974.

From this study, we concluded that the present curriculum at the Memorial School with one exception, was at least as good as the programs available in all surrounding communities. The exception is that Memorial School does not provide adequate, or indeed any, instruction in home economics and manual arts. Such programs are offered in all ot the surrounding communities except Pembroke, Candia, and Auburn.

Home economic and manual art programs are recommended at the Memorial School level by the New Hampshire State Board of Education. In addition, the surveys conducted by our Committee last year indicate that 73% of Hooksett residents favor the institution of such programs in Memorial School, and that 91% of freshmen have been desirable and advantageous to them. Finally, your Committee was impressed by the fact that all 100% of the girls eligible to participate in the limited home economic program established by the school district in cooperation with Mount Saint Mary's College actually participated in that program. These figures compelled us to the conclusion that such a program was both needed and desired by Hooksett citizens as well as Hooksett students.

Based upon this review and evaluation, your Committee recommends a concrete proposal to provide a complete curriculum to Hooksett students in the seventh and eighth grades. The minimum physical plant required to accommodate this curriculum is set forth in the architectural drawing attached as Appendix III to this report. It includes three new classrooms. One of these would be a science laboratory planned uniquely tor this purpose. Such a facility is needed at Memorial School and would be utilized continuously as science instruction is presently given to ten classes a day at the school. A second classroom would be available for instruction in art and other related programs. The third classroom, at least initially, would alleviate the congestion in the health facilities in Memorial School resulting from having to use the present health room for instructional purposes. Furthermore, this additional space would provide storage and maintenance areas, which we are surely lacking at present.

The plan submitted by this Committee also provides for a manual arts program and two home economic rooms. The manual arts program, approximately two and one-halt classrooms in size, would provide instruction in fundamental woodworking and small basic engine technology, such as the study of lawnmower and two cycle engines. The home economic program would provide basic, fundamental instruction in cooking and kitchen work, and in sewing and other domestic skills. At current enrollments levels, these facilities would be used approximately 75% of the time.

Your committee estimates that the capital cost for the addition we propose is approximately $330,000 to $355,000. Based upon the most current figures available, this proposal would increase the town tax rate in the first year approximately $1.20 per thousand. The rate of increase would be higher or lower depending upon the life of the bond issue. See Appendix IV. In addition, we have

estimated that such an addition would require additional annual operating costs to cover an increase in staffing of approximately two full-time teachers, together with the necessary increases in utility and maintenance charges.

This proposal was presented at a public hearing held by this Committee at Memorial School on November 20, 1975. On that occasion, the overwhelming majority of people in attendance favored some addition to the Memorial School program, although not necessarily the proposal submitted by the Committee. Although less people were present at the hearing than we had hoped would attend, their expressed opinions further confirmed the survey results we obtained in 1974. As a result of this hearing, the Committee reviewed its proposal and decided to amend it by deleting a portion of the plan discussed there. The recommendation we submit here is the final result of our efforts.

Your committee is aware of the present economic situation nationally as well as the increased tax burden borne by Hooksett citizens this year. We also recognize that the final decision concerning the presentation of this proposal to the school district meeting rests with the School Board. Nevertheless, after serious deliberation and debate the Committee, by a substantial majority, requests you to submit its proposal to the School District as a whole for its consideration and vote. The issue is sufficiently urgent to warrant this action.

STUDY COMMITTEE MEMBERS

Mr. Joseph Ted Koehler, Chairman
25 Ridgeview Drive
Hooksett, New Hampshire 03106

Mr. David Hess
9 Heather Drive
Hooksett, New Hampshire 03106

Mr. Arthur Sanborn
17 South Main Street
Hooksett, New Hampshire 03106

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Hooksett, New Hampshire 03106

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Box 179, Rte. 7
Manchester, New Hampshire 03104

Mrs. Kay Johnson
11 Bullard Drive
Hooksett, New Hampshire 03106

Mr. Jack McCarthy
106 West Broadway Road
Derry, New Hampshire 03038

September 30, 1975

Mr. Melvin Severance
Voucher Ottice
17 North Street
Manchester, New Hampshire 03104

Dear Mel,

The Hooksett Study Committee requested that the following two (2) questions be incorporated with the questionnaire that the Voucher Office is planning to use for Hooksett:

1. Do you feel that Industrial Arts and Home Economic Programs should be provided at Hooksett Memorial School?

Yes No Undecided

If your answer is "Yes," what programs do you feel should be provided?

Woodworking Graphic Arts Mechanics

Food Preparation Nutrition Homemaking

Sewing Skills Other (Please List)

2. The programs avaiiable to our high school students include: Mathematics, History, Geography, Civics, Literature, and Languages, Social Sciences, Sciences, Biology, Chemistry, Physics, Art, Music, Industrial Arts, Home Economics, Physical Education, Secretarial and Clerical and Commercial are offered at Memorial Jr. High School.

How do you feel Hooksett Memorial Jr. High School prepares students for these programs?

Excellent Good Fair Poor

Which programs it any, do you feel Hooksett Memorial should better prepare our High School students for?

Mathematics
Literature and Languages (English, French, etc.)
Social Sciences (History, Geography, Civics)
Sciences (Biology, Chemistry, Physics)
Art
Music
Industrial Arts
Home Economics
Physical Education
Secretarial
Clerical
Commercial
Other

If you have any questions concerning the above, please do not hesitate to call.

Sincerely,

David R. Cawley, Superintendent

DRC/lb

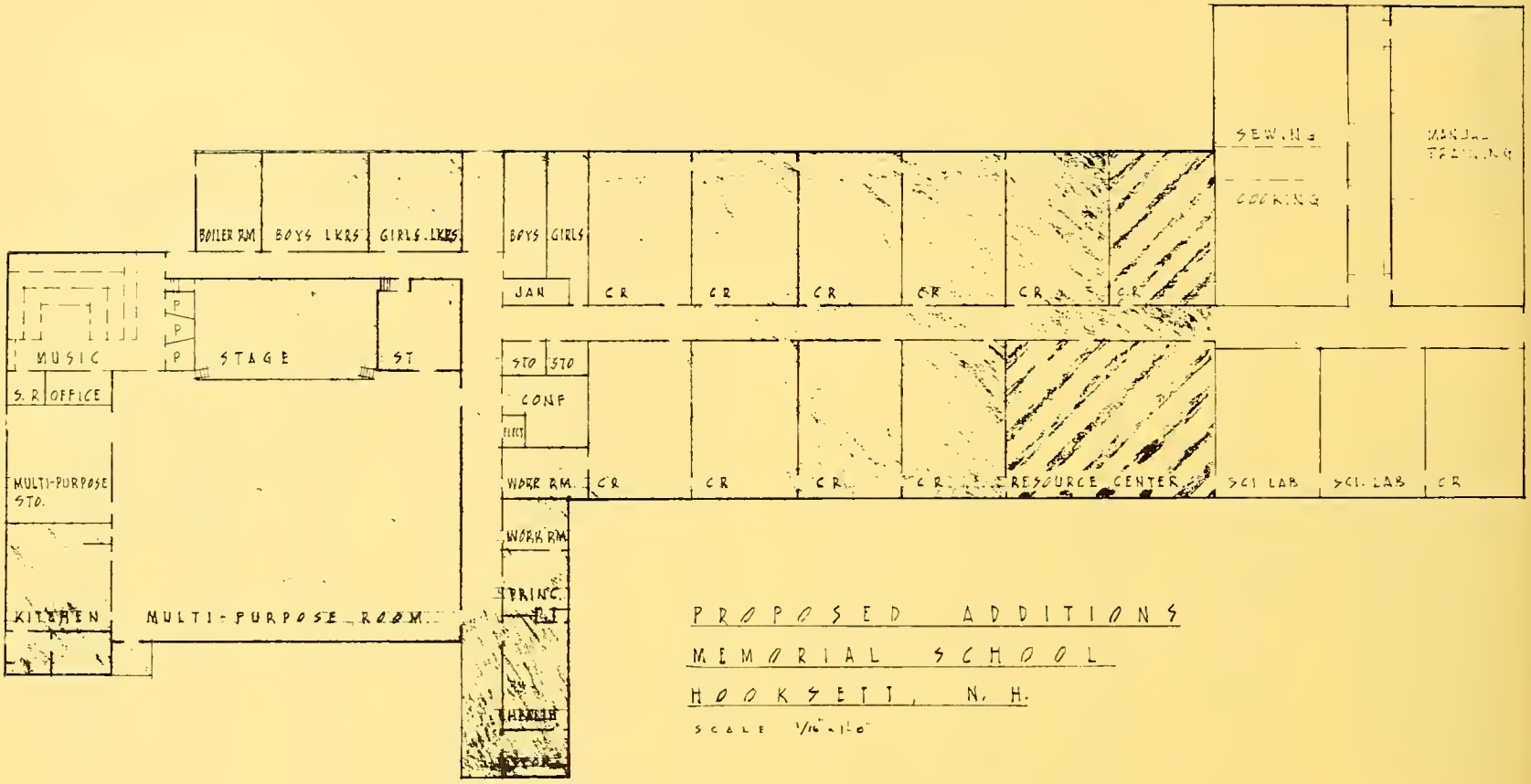
HOOKSETT SCHOOL DISTRICT

Fall Enrollment Data

September 30, 1975

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	S.E.	(1-8) Total	9-12	(1-12) Total
1962-63	92	73	87	71	77	67	74	62		(600)	211	811
1963-64	108	87	77	98	67	73	73	62		(645)	224	869
1964-65	107	103	87	80	95	62	77	77		(688)	228	916
1965-66	120	94	93	93	71	90	60	73		(694)	230	934
1966-67	120	114	106	91	96	73	91	61		(752)	234	986
1967-68	143	124	110	106	96	101	80	97		(857)	236	1093
1968-69	132	134	128	109	112	97	106	78	9	(905)	270	1175
1969-70	150	120	127	125	106	111	103	104	20	(966)	290	1256
1970-71	161	136	119	129	125	112	121	105	17	(1025)	311	1336
1971-72	143	122	134	111	138	121	118	125	15	(1027)	355	1382
1972-73	129	133	119	134	107	139	126	116	23	(1026)	350	1376
1973-74	127	122	136	125	135	107	142	125	20	(1039)	371	1410
1974-75	118	100	122	143	127	134	106	139	22	(1011)	394	1405
1975-76	137	109	100	124	149	123	139	107	19	(1007) *		

* High School Figures for 1975-76 are not available until the 1st of November.



PROPOSED ADDITIONS

MEMORIAL SCHOOL

HOOKSETT, N. H.

SCALE 1/16" = 1'-0"

HOOKSETT MEMORIAL SCHOOL

Class of 1975

Robert Andrew Andersen
Mark Joseph Archambault
Mark David Baines
Matthew Graham Barrett
Barbara Ann Bartlett
Roger Glenn Beard
Linda Lee Beauchemin
Patricia Lynn Beauchemin
*Tim A. Beaudin
Lynn M. Beauregard
Cheryl Jean Bellofatto
Donna Ann Bergeron
Michael Joseph Beserdetsky
Susan Yvette Boilard
David Paul Boulanger
*William Wright Bourbeau
Barry C. Boyan
*Michael Breen
Lisa Marie Brisson
Wayne Patrick Browning
Edward Joseph Burnor
Scott Allen Bussiere
Robert Campbell
Donald Raymond Carignan
Russell Caron
Dorianne Chandonnais
*Christopher M. Chase
*Eric Walter Chase
Joan Patricia Collins
*Martha Ann Collins
Burleigh James Cooper
Sherry LynnCorriveau
*Caroline Rose Croteau
Brenda L. Currier
Stephen Glenn Curtis
Deborah Rita Cusson
David James Czachor
*Donald Maurice Dancause
*Elizabeth Anne Donovan
Maurice Edward Doucet
Richard R. Duhaime
Robert Paul Duhaime
Roger Peter Duhaime
Scott Eric Eaton
*Kevin Paul Emond
Douglas R. Eno
John Michael Fecteau
Lane David Fernandes
Cindy Forcier
James R. Fugere
Marc Normand Gagnon
William Charles Gassek
Denise Mary Girard
Kathleen Marie Golembiowski
Sharri Mary Goodwin
Daniel Kenneth Gordon
Mark Gerald Gramatikas
*Annamarie Grandmont
Mark Arthur Green
John Steven Greenwood
Kenneth J. Groulx
Gary Arthur Handley
Joanne Louise Hartford
Michael James Hathaway
Jo Ann Hebert
Dennis Paul Hemeon
Kathleen Elizabeth Holt
Robert S. Jacobs
Kris H. Jacobson
Lynn Ann Joyce
Shane Kalariotes
Thomas Joseph Kukla
Thomas R. Lafleur
Steven Michael Lafond
Michael Albert Lambert
Nancy Lou Lambert
*Diana Ruth Larrea
Ronald A. Lavoie
Diane Lisa Leblanc
Bradford Leclerc
Sherri Lynn Ledoux
Steve A. Linden
Trudy Jo Lindsay
Cynthia Lou Longfellow
Ronald K. Lord
Brian Lovely
Debbie Lynn Lovering
Denise Mary Lucier
Sally Ann Majarian
Gina Raye Mandeville
James R. Marineau, Jr.
Cindy Ann Marple
Susan Marquez
*Sandra Lee Marshall
Debra Fernande Martel
Bruce David McDonald
Sean McGarry
Sharon Anne Mercer
Celeste L. Michaud
Matthew James Moore
Reginald J. Moreau
Denise Marie Morin
Diana Morin
Tracy Ann Murphy
Bruce Nelson
*Valerie Jean Nichols
Pamela Normandeau
*Judith Ann Northrup
Colleen Sharon O'Brien
John F. Ouellette
Thomas Paquette
Glenn Philibert
Thomas Roland Privey
*Joseph Robert Provencher
Anita S. Racicot
John Rice
Daniel F. Roberts
John A. Rousseau
Benoit Roger St. Martin
Willim Norman Sarette
Patricia Jane Severance
*Robin Ann Shaka
Nancy Marie Sherman
David Skladony
William Charles Smith
Karen J. Streeter
Brenda Sue Sullivan
Jill Elizabeth Tacy
*Normand Albert Tanguay
Debra Lynn Theodore
Mark John Turner
Daniel James Vallee
Robert E. Valliere
Christine C. Viens
Barry John Vincent
William Walbourne
Richard William Wasson
Thomas E. Watson
Irving Scott Whitney
Daniel Frank Zapora
John Walter Zaremba

Congregational Church of Hooksett

HOOKSETT, NEW HAMPSHIRE

John P. Nix
Pastor

PHONES
STUDY 485-3191
CHURCH OFFICE 485-9009

Chief Maurice Boisvert 20 October 1975
Police Department
Town Hall
Hooksett, New Hampshire 03106

THRU: Town Selectmen

Dear Chief Boisvert:

My thanks, and the thanks of all my family, for the exemplery work of the men of your Department last Friday afternoon during the large over-flow traffic at our church for the Memorial Service for my brother-in-law, Mr. Victor MacKenzie.

My special thanks go to Lt. Joe Rugere, who was originally contacted, and the men working under his efforts. Their work was the effecient and courtious work one has come to expect of the Hooksett Police Department.

Again, thanks for a job that was more than well done.

John P. Nix
Pastor
Col.(Ret.) USAR

Holy Rosary Church

SEVEN SOUTH MAIN STREET HOOKSETT, NEW HAMPSHIRE 03106

January 12,1976

Board of Selectmen
Municipal Building
16 Main Street
Hooksett, New Hampshire 03106

Holy Rosary Church has served our community since 1886. Although it is a Roman Catholic Church, its doors are opened to persons of all races, nationalities and creed.

There has been no change this past year in the schedule of our services. Every Saturday evening an anticipated Sunday Mass at 6:30. On Sundays, Masses are at 8:30 a.m., 9:45 a.m., 11:00 a.m. On Holy Days, the anticipated masses are at 5 and 7 o'clock the evening before and at 9:30 a.m., 5:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. on the Holy Days themselves.

In 1975 we have had 6 funerals: 3 women and 3 men. That same year we have had 30 Baptisms: 16 boys and 14 girls. We have had 9 marriages in our church: 6 Catholic and 3 mix. 25 boys and 20 girls, 45 in all, received their first Communion and 12,500 Holy Communions have been given during the year, an increase of 1,600 over 1974. On May 16 at 2:00 p.m. (1976) the Sacrement of Confirmation will be administered by Bishop Odore Gendron to 100 boys and girls and adults of this Parish. Financially, the parish is debt free.

I am very grateful for the co-operation of all the parishioners, Without them the parish could not be in the good shape it is in spiritually and financially . I am especially grateful to the Catholic Women Club ; The Rev. Raymond J. Langlois post of the Knights of Columbus; the members of the Confraternaty of Christian Doctrine; the members of the choir and organist; the ushers and the Knights of the Altar for special services rendered to the parish during this past year.

I am equally grateful to the various Town Officials who, among other things-to specify only a few - maintain our parking lot in good condition, dig the graves and bury our dead, the co-operation of the Police Department, and also allow us the use of the Hooksett Village School for the 305 children of the parish receiving religious instruction on Sundays throughout the school year.

Let's keep working together as we have in the past and thus, not only will we bring our people closer to God but we will keep improving our parish and at the same time, improve the entire town.

Respectfully yours,

Rev. Ernest Bissonnette, Pastor.

Rev Ernest Bissonnette
Pastor

Hooksett Church of the Nazarene

Board of Selectmen
16 Main Street
Hooksett, New Hampshire 03106

Gentlemen:

It is our privilege to be a part of the growing community of Hooksett. We wish to thank the people of the town and the officials for their help and support during the year . . . especially the men who have plowed snow and sanded, the police for their constant watchfulness and the men who serve in an area of responsibility for the people of the town.

To meet the Spiritual needs of the people we have the following schedule:-

SUNDAY

10:00 a.m. Bible Study Classes for all ages, including adults

11:00 a.m. Morning Worship with nursery facilities

6:00 p.m. Evening Evangelistic Service
Third Sunday - Monthly Missionary Service

WEDNESDAY

7:00 p.m. We have a Mid-week service

We are a Church in South Hooksett that is alive unto God to serve a community and people in need, to meet the situations of life, and to assist wherever and whenever needed.

Respectfully submitted,

P. Edgar Thompson, Pastor

Bethel Advent Christian Church

184 Amherst Street, Manchester, N. H.
(Land) Pleasant Street, Hooksett, N. H.
Rev. Stephen Brown, Pastor Tel. 669-6712

The Bethel Advent Christian Church met at its land for the Easter Sunrise Service but due to inclement weather adjourned to the Squire's home on So. Main St. for the service.

In cooperation with the Hooksett Congregational Church, it held its seventh annual Vacation Bible School at the Hooksett Village School with an average attendance of one hundred.

The assistance of many interested Hooksett residents and the use of the School facilities are greatly appreciated.

CITIZEN OF THE YEAR

1959 Fred Underhill
1960 George Cook
1961 Charles Hardy
1962 Rena Watson
1963 Arthur Donati
1964 Rutger Broek
1965 George Robie
1966 Oscar Morin, Jr.
1967 Sarah M. Hardy
1968 James G. Follansbee
1969 Arthur B. Sanborn
1970 Dorothy M. Squire
1971 Lindsay H. Rice
1972 Frank D. Cate
1973 Dorothy Allen
1974 Leslie M. Pike

April 26, 1975 - L. to R. - President of Men's Club Richard Marshall, Citizen of The Year Harrison Rollins & wife Mary

HARRISON K. ROLLINS

Selected by the Hooksett Men's Club as Hooksett's Citizen of the year for 1975.

Mr. Rollins was born in Hooksett, educated in Franklin, N. H., spent six years in the United States Navy and moved back to Hooksett in 1961.

Harry helped organize the Hooksett Youth Athletic Association and was its first president. He has served with the Boy Scouts for fifteen years, is a member of the Pinnacle Fish & Game Club, past president of the Men's Club, served on the Parks & Playground Committee for five years and was a Town Budget Committee member. Harry was Chairman of the Town's Sesquicentennial Committee and is now Co-Chairman of the Town's Bi-Centennial Committee.

Harrison Rollins

1975

Hooksett Police Dept.

It is my pleasure to report to you and to the citizens of Hooksett the activities of your police department for the year 1975.

It was our misfortune this past year to have an incident happen inside the police station whereby one of our officers was assaulted and had to be hospitalized. Two young men entered the station and assaulted the lone officer before he was aware of what was happening. The communications center also sustained minor damage in the scuffle. It was evident that security measures had to be taken. New stronger partitions were installed,an electric lock was installed on the outside door and every window and door on the inside of the building were electronically bugged so that they register at the console if one of them is opened. A TV camera was installed at the outside entrance to the building with a monitor at the console which allows the dispatcher to see who is approaching thereby allowing him or her time to summon assistance if it appears to be someone undesirable.

Of concern to the department this past year was the death of 5 persons on our highways resulting from 226 traffic accidents. Traffic enforcement is not only a difficult task but nearly impossible and very discouraging when we have only one man working and he spends the majority of his time answering other necessary calls. Other statistics of the department are as follows: Auto theft 23, Assault on persons 16, larcenies 164, driving while intoxicated 18, complaints 497, burglaries 75, criminal arrests 61, missing persons 21.

All the members of the department are now certified police officers and all active special officers have attended a 14 week training school held by the N. H. Police Standards and Training Council. Other schools attended by members of the department were, criminal investigation, prosecutor school and accident investigation. The department also conducts monthly training sessions on every aspect of police work.

Gasoline was again a problem this past year as the new cruiser that we obtained at the end of June was required to use unleaded gas. The town was not equipped to furnish this fuel and it had to be purchased from private gas stations. Fortunately, the road agent was able to empty one of his storage tanks and use it for unleaded gas.

Special officers are again taking care of the bridge situation during school days. As we view the progress of the new bridge we are in hopes that this will be the last year for this activity.

The establishment of a Police Commission late in the year is beginning to show results and I am sure that it will be a tremendous help to the department.

We are striving to achieve our goal to protect and serve the people of Hooksett the best way we know how with the tools at our disposal and we are looking for your continued support in the future.

Respectively submitted,

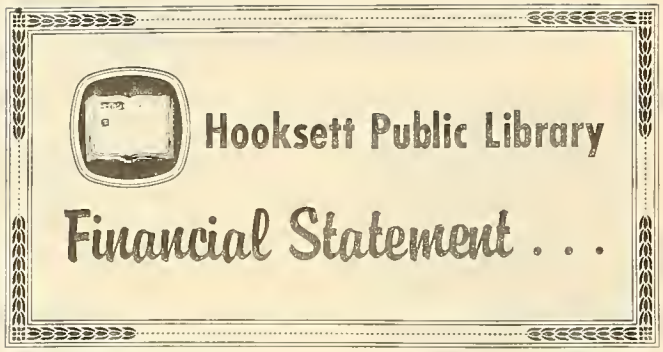
Maurice Boisvert
CHIEF

Hooksett District Court

Total Case Load	1874
Criminal cases entered	1724
Civil cases entered	112
Juvenile petitions entered	38
Regular Sessions	63
Special Sessions	13
Juvenile Sessions	41
Balance - January 1, 1975:	$388.29
Cash Receipts:	44,589.95
	$44.978.24
Disbursements:	
State of New Hampshire	$21,807.64
Town of Hooksett	14,200.00
Operating Expenses	8,614.13
	44,621.77
Balance - December 31, 1975:	$356.47

Paul R. Kfoury
Special Justice

Ruth K. Blakeley
Clerk



4th Quarter of Fiscal 1974-75		
Balance on hand December 31, 1974		$7,422.64
Receipts		
Interest on Savings Acct. #338	$ 93.82	
Interest on Savings Acct. #334	11.36	
Interest on Savings Acct. #271	1.66	
Fines	60.07	
Book Sale	5.00	
Copy machine	25.00	
	$ 196.91	
		$7,619.55
Disbursement		
Operating Expenses	$3,444.26	
Special Expenses	482.99	
	$3,927.25	
		$3,692.30
First three quarters of Fiscal 1975-76		
Balance on Hand March 31, 1975		$3,692.30*
Receipts		
Regular accounts--balance	$ 2,948.64*	
Received from Town	13,800.00	
Interest from Savings Acct. #338	402.59	
Copy Machine reimbursement	22.00	
Reimbursements - NHLC & book	33.29	
	$17,206.52	
Fines Account -- balance	$ 156.53*	
Fines and Lost books	257.63	
Interest on Savings Acct. #271	6.79	
	$ 420.95	
Gift accounts -- balance	$ 587.13*	
Interest from Trust Funds	219.73	
Interest on Savings Acct. #334	30.66	
Booksale	91.85	
Received from Hooksett Woman's Club	100.00	
	$1,029.37	
		Total receipts $18,656.84
Disbursements		
Operating expenses		$11,630.83
Special expenses		1,169.88
		$12,800.71
		$ 5,856.13
Balance on hand December 31, 1975		
Savings Acct. #338	$4,816.78	
Checking	742.19	
Fines Acct. #271	122.90	
Gift Acct. #334	174.26	

HOOKSETT PUBLIC LIBRARY

Blanche and Oscar Morin Sr. Memorial Fund

In 1975 the Blanche Morin Memorial Fund was expanded. Now known as the Blanche and Oscar Morin Sr. Memorial Fund, it has a base of $2050.00 in Certificates of Deposit. Since their purchase, these Certificates have earned $120.33. In 1975 $130.17 was expended from interest and a separate contribution which was received and so directed.

Library Report

LIBRARY TRUSTEES REPORT

In April of 1976, the fourth payment of the scheduled five payments on the library building will be made: the offer of $10,000. in building materials which is part of the original agreement will be available to the town for two years more. In reviewing this situation, along with the growing awareness of the demand on library services by the townspeople, your trustees are seeking means of expansion of the existing facilities.

Meetings have been held with the Selectmen and the Southern New Hampshire Planning Commission exploring access to funding. The most promising appears to be Community Development Block Grants administered by the Department of Housing and Urban Development which are available to metropolitan towns such as Hooksett for the construction of neighborhood facilities. The town's present and future needs indicate a two story addition to the present structure which would house a community meeting room, an adult reading room, additional stack area, and storage space.

The community meeting room would be a flexible room to accommodate the needs of various town organizations, have its own exits and be selfsustaining. It would be available independently of the library. The adult meeting room would provide reading, study and browsing areas away from the general administrative area as presently exists in the library. The outstanding demand on the library services since the move to the Donati building has resulted in increasingly crowded conditions with books lining workroom shelves due to lack of shelf space. This addition would bring the library to the square foot size determined by the American Library Association for towns of up to 10,000 population and provide the growth space which we sorely lack.

The two open hearings for townspeople called by the Selectmen during January on the 14th and 21st were the preliminary steps in the application procedure. The town will be notified by HUD it the application has been accepted with its subsequent invitation to apply for funding sometime in early spring.

At the conclusion of the Library Report for the 1974 Town Report, the disposition of the Arah W. Prescott building was placed with the electorate. Articles 25 and 26 were acted upon at Town Meeting and the Hooksett Historical Society assumed the permanent use of the building to house its collection.

Due to generous patrons such as parents and the Library Volunteers, the Story Hour has been playing to capacity audiences. A successful Summer Reading Program and a Book and Bake Sale added to our development of young readers and our coffers.

Attracting its share of attention is the newly established pattern swap. A sincere thank you to Bertrand Gregoire who built the convenient bin for browsing and storing this continually changing collection.

For a second year the Hooksett Public Library has been cited by the State Library Commission tor meeting the minimum qualifications as a member of the Statewide Library Development Program. To quote from a congratulatory letter from Acting State Librarian Avis Duckworth: "The State Library Commission is very pleased with your progress in providing quality library service to the residents of your community..." The library is one of the 132 public libraries in New Hampshire to have achieved and maintained these objectives for 1976.

The Tri-Town Audio Visual Cooperative materials and equipment have been used frequently during this first year. Organizations and individuals, from the Junior Chamber of Commerce to science students, are discovering this store of equipment and finding it a valuable resource.

The trustees are grateful to those who think of the Hooksett Public Library as a recipient for memorial gifts and supportive donations both monetary and in services. Patricularly we wish to mention Claire Archambault, Gerard Bendure, Irene Kate, the Porter family of Porter's Steak House, the Blanche and Oscar Morin Sr. Memorial Fund, the Hooksett Women's Club, Mr. Bee's

Flowerland, and Shaw's Supermarket. It should be noted that the Blanche and Oscar Morin Sr. Memorial Fund now contains two $1,000 Certificates of Deposit, the interest on which is used for the purchase of books.

Nancy Barrett
Barbara Johnson
Donald Richards

LIBRARY REPORT
1975

Library Staff:

Mrs. Roger Hebert	Librarian
Mrs. Edward Breen	Ass't. Librarian
Mrs. Hollis Cate	

Total books 12/31/74	8,540
Purchases and gifts:	
Including memorials, encyclopedias and reference books	700
	9,240
Withdrawals	106
	9,134
Total records	375
Withdrawals	25
Total	350
Total periodicals	28
Total cassettes	16
Filmstrips T.T.A.V.C.	164
Cassettes T.T.A.V.C.	6

Circulation report:

Adult fiction	7,709
Non-fiction	2,977
Children	5,820
Periodicals	619
Records	828
Filmstrips	25
Total Circulation	17,978

People:	
Adults	4,941
Children	2,895
Total	7,836

Number of registered borrowers	2,141
Statewide cards issued	46
Books borrowed from State Library	185
Books borrowed from Bookmobile	1,455
Audio Visual material loaned:	
Filmstrip projector	8
16 mm projector	2
Slide projector	3

Library hours:		
Monday	1-5	7-9
Tuesday	10-5	7-9
Wednesday	10-5	7-9
Thursday	10-5	7-9
Friday	1-5	
Saturday	9-12	

Summer hours closed Saturday
Phone 668-1888

Mrs. Rober Hebert
Librarian

Communications Commission Report

It is a pleasure to submit my third annual report to the citizens ot Hooksett. This year has shown an increase in the use of the Communications Center over last year. An approximate total of 14,609 telephone calls were handled and it required 53,297 radio transmissions to carry out the operation of the center. It is rewarding to see the center being used in an ever increasing amount. It shows the public interest.

The Communication Commission met six times this year to carry on the administration of the Department concerning the policies and expenditures of the Department.

It was also encouraging to have other towns view our center, for they feel Hooksett is unique in that our emergency services can be co-ordinated from one central point.

The installation of the new dictaphone recorder was completed this spring and we have found it most valuable in emergencies, references and records. All records are held for thirty day, however if a record must be kept longer, it is removed and stored on a cassette tape.

We hope with L.E.A.A. funding to extend our coverage by placing a remote transmitter on a high point within the town boundaries. This coverage would give us the availability of our hand held walkie-talkie we find now are unable to reach back to headquarters from some remote areas.

The center has lived up to its expectations on its reliability to answer calls and give aid to those in need. The encouraging factor is the public participation in a crime watch and fire watch within the community. The public has come to realize that our police, fire and highway services can meet whatever the need.

The success of the center is due to the co-operation of each member of the Commission along with the dispatchers in their joint effort to make this an outstanding service for the Town of Hooksett.

Sincerely,

William Shackford, Chairman
Hooksett Communication Center

HEALTH OFFICER'S REPORT

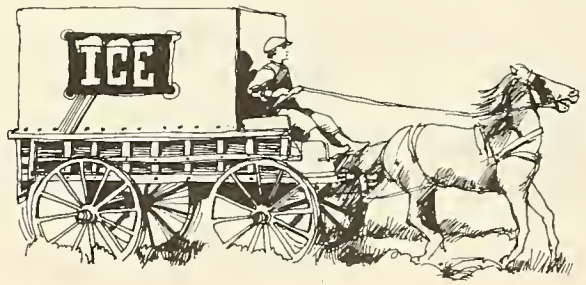
The following statistics and information describe the operations and service ot the Hooksett Health Officer.

The Health Officer responded to 120 calls from citizens of Hooksett for investigation of sewage problems, garbage and refuse disposals, animal nuisance (odor, etc.), dilapidated and dangerous buildings.

Animal nuisance complaints	3
Sewage nuisance complaints	82
Building condemnations	3
Cease and desist orders	2
Court appearance	1
Child Care Center Inspections	4
Water Samples sent to State Laboratory for analysis	25

Water tests are performed on new or existing wells for purity and/or contamination from suspected sewer or septic tank failures.

Robert L. Channing
Health Officer



COMMUNITY ACTION PROGRAM

Belknap-Merrimack Counties, Inc.
1 Church Street
Suncook, New Hampshire
Telephone: 485-7824

For the Annual Report of the Town of Hooksett, New Hampshire

Since 1965, Community Action has been serving low-income and elderly residents of Hooksett. Through the local neighborhood CAP Center System, we feel we have been effective in delivering services to these people. This year Community Action has sponsored a VISTA whose devoted most of her energies to the town of Hooksett. She has been working primarily in the areas of Food Co-ops, emergency food assistance, and outreach education.

During 1975, residents of Hooksett have participated in the following Community Action services:

Children & Youth	General	Elderly
Head Start	Information & Referral	Nutrition Program (congregate)
Summer Camp	Food Assistance	Home-Delivered Meals
Learning Center	Clothing Assistance	Rural Transportation
Rent-A-Kid	Housing Assistance	Recreation
Summer Work Experience	Fuel Loan Program	Nutrition Counseling
In-School Work perience	Welfare Assistance	
Out-ot-School Work Experience	Winterization	
	Food Stamp Assistance	
	Transportation	
	Food Coop	
	Operation Green Thumb	
	Adult Work Experience	
	Direct Job Placement	
	Unemployment Assistance	

On behalf of all the Community Action staff, we would like to acknowledge and thank all those individuals from Hooksett who have give n help and support to Community Action during 1975.

Sincerely,

Susan R. Curtis
Suncook Area CAP Director

Jenny L. Kibling
Hooksett VISTA Volunteer

Public Welfare Department

Item Name	1975 Budget	1975 Expd.
Old Age Asst. and A.P.T.D.	$10,000.00	$6,163.10
Town Poor	9,800.00	4,544.50
Soldiers Aid	200.00	155.00
Refunds or Credit		284.50

Charles E. Woodbury
Overseer of Public Welfare

FOREST FIRE WARDEN'S REPORT

1975

During 1975 we had twenty-three forest or brush fires. Sixteen of these fires were in the Town of Hooksett, four assisting the town of Pembroke and three assisting the Town of Allenstown.

Out of the sixteen fires in Hooksett there was about twelve acres of land burned. We have issued 192 burning permits. So, when you do have a permit, please watch your fire very carefully so it will not get away from you. You can burn without a permit when there is snow on the ground, but please notify the Communication Center as all our calls come from them. This way they will know that at an address given to them that someone is burning so any person calling for smoke at that location will not dispatch the Fire Department unless the person burning has lost control of the fire. This is very important as it has happened before.

We have all had our Spring Training by the State Forest Fire Services which was held in Bow, N. H.

Alfred Collerette
Forest Fire Warden

Deputy Wardens	Leon Boisvert	Leo Belisle
Gerard Lambert, Sr.	Harold Murray	Enver Silkman
James Vallee	William Shackford	Donald Botsford
Alfred Law	Nelson Lambert	Philip Carrier

FIRE WARDEN'S BUDGET

ITEM NAME	1975 Actual Budget	1975 Actual Expenditures
Payroll for Forest Fires	$2,500.00	$3,826.43
Repair & Truck Maintenance	350.00	185.51
Gas & Oil	200.00	82.12
Replace Portable Pump		595.00
TOTALS	$3,050.00	$4,689.06

REPORT TO TOWNS

Upon the recommendation of town selectmen and city councils, the Division of Forests and Lands appoints a forest fire warden and several deputy forest fire wardens in each town and city every three years. The town or city warden is responsible for maintaining a force of men and adequate equipment to suppress any wildfire that occurs in his town or city during his term of appointment. The fire warden must authorize all open burning when the ground is not covered with snow. No open fires can be authorized between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m., unless it is raining, without the additional permission of the state district fire chief.

Any person wishing to kindle an open fire when the ground is not covered with snow must first obtain the written permission of the forest fire warden. Camp and cooking fires also require the warden's permission.

The Division of Forests and Lands, through its Forest Fire Service, assists all cities and towns in meeting these requirements by training the warden and deputy forces in wildfire suppression tactics, making hand tool suppression equipment available at fifty percent of cost, supplying pieces of Federal excess property for use as fire attack vehicles and sharing up to fifty percent of the cost of wildfire suppression costs.

Wildfire prevention is also a joint state, city or town program. Smokey Bear is available from the Forest Fire Service for local fire prevention programs. Posters and Junior Ranger kits are available for distribution by local fire departments upon request to the Forest Fire Service. Each forest fire warden is expected to carry on a continuous wildfire prevention program within his town or city.

1975 FOREST FIRE STATISTICS

	No. of Fires	No. of Acres
State	800	718
District	168	297.38
Town	16	11 1/3

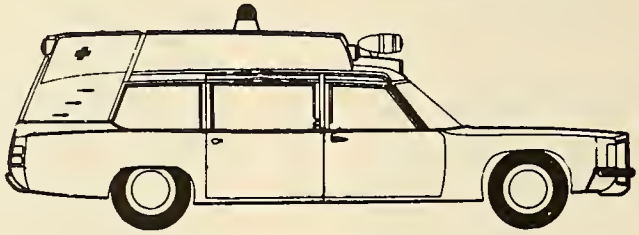
Richard S. Chase
District Fire Chief

Alfred Collerette
Forest Fire Warden

The Tri-Town Volunteer Emergency Ambulance Service, Inc.

MAILING ADDRESS — SUNCOOK, N. H. 03275

SERVING, ALLENSTOWN—HOOKSETT—PEMBROKE—TEL. 485-7010



To our Friends,

As 1975 ends, Tri-Town looks to its accomplishments and desires for the future. We have completed 522 runs this year and our total since 1972 is 1360. This is a very heavy patient load for volunteers.

In 1975 we purchased with the help of the Federal Government a new Dodge van which had been our goal for some time, gave our oldest vehicle to the Community Action Program for its meals on wheels program and kept the 1968 Pontiac for our back up vehicle.

We, the personnel of Tri-Town, are proud of our record, and we are pleased with the attitude of the people in our three towns. Every one seems pleased with our organization. Any suggestions will be accepted simply send them to Tri-Town, Suncook, N. H. Our hope for the future is efficient service to our people. However, that is not all. We have already this year approached the V.F.W. who house our Van to allow us to add on a training room and another bay for our back-up vehicle so that both units can be kept together. The training room would be a tremendous asset, it would be a more convenient place to meet and serve as a sleeping quarters for personnel on cold snowy nights.

Our second goal this year will be to pursuade people to send money to Tri-Town's Memorial Fund, in memory of loved ones in place of flowers. This gives a lasting gift to the people of our community, as Memorial Monies go for new and better equipment. And the money from your taxes given through the towns goes tor maintenance, of our vehicles. Several families gave Memorial Gifts this year and they are very much appreciated. Our hope is to always have the very latest and very best equipment.

Our third goal for this year will be a successful Annual Fund Drive. Each fall we ask the people whom we serve to give $1.00 for each member of their household. This should be hopefully our best drive as we will be building and the people can watch their dollars go to good use.

We, the people of Tri-Town, thank the people of Allenstown, Hooksett and Pembroke for being so generous, with their support and we hope that 1976 will be another year for mutual gain. Our 24 hr. a day dispatch number is 485-5177 and our "hot-line", number is 485-7010 either number will give you prompt and courteous service.

The Executive Board of Tri-Town
Thomas Ayers, Chairman
Lois Theuner, Sec. Treas.

HOOKSETT VILLAGE FIRE DEPARTMENT

REPORT FOR THE YEAR 1975

During 1975 there was a decrease in fire calls. We had eighty one compared to ninety-two in 1974. The two permanent men did their usual duties and general work in and around the Fire Station and also did drill work and maintenance on the equipment and apparatus. I was very sorry to receive the resignation of Lt. Ernest Call. Mr. Call was a mechanic and a very good worker which was beneficial to the Fire Dept. He left to better himself to work as a mechanic in a large garage but will remain on the department as a call man. We will miss him.

We have completed our 10 wheel water truck and it is being used where there is no water and for forest fires. It is a nice piece of equipment to have and all the Department is proud to have it. It has been of no cost to the Town. All equipment and labor was donated by the Department. We have inspected seventeen oil burners, foster homes, kindergartens and apartment houses.

With the help of the State Fire Marshall, on a Sunday afternoon in October we had a 4" hose drill on Rte. 3A north from last hydrant to the Hooksett Apartment house. A total of 1900 feet was used. This was done under mutual aid from the town of Allenstown, Pembroke and South Hooksett. We also had a Tankers Shuffle to the apartment. Many town residents watched this drill.

We have done much work on the building by moving one post and replacing another so that we could get all of our equipment into the building. A number of tire extinguishers were tested and checked for the public.

At this time I would like to thank all of the men and women from the auxiliary for their time donated for the year 1975.

Respectfully submitted,

Chief Alfred Collerette
Village Fire Department

During 1975, this Department performed the following:

Answered eighty-one alarms as follows:

Brush fires	12
Car & truck fires	10
House & shed fires	5
Chimney fire	1
Resuscitation calls	15
Search & rescue	2
Drowning	2
Auto accidents-wash down	8
Electrical fires	3
Bomb scare	1
Fire investigation	1
False alarms	6
Mutual aid	
South Hooksett	4
Pembroke	4
Allenstown	7
Total Calls	81

1975 BUDGET & EXPENDITURES

ITEM NAME	1975 Actual Budget	1975 Actual Expenditures
New England Tel.	$ 360.00	$ 264.61
Oxygen	200.00	172.09
Public Service Co.	500.00	578.87
Vehicle Gas & Oil	250.00	202.17
Payroll Call Men Permanent Men	15,600.00	16,175.17
Radio Repair	500.00	468.83
Heating of Building	1,000.00	664.34
Equipment Repair	700.00	609.67
New Equipment & Replacement	3,300.00	2,923.97
Office Expense	300.00	136.98
Lunches (meetings & fires)	175.00	257.81
Building Maintenance	700.00	1,127.02
Sewer, Water & TV Cable		
TOTALS	$23,585.00	$23 581.53

SOUTH HOOKSETT FIRE DEPARTMENT

Annual Report

1975 turned out to be the busiest year ever for the Department. The log indicates that 151 calls were responded to during the year. This represents an incredible increase of 45 calls over the previous high of 106 which occurred in 1974.

A breakdown of these calls show that 28 involved buildings, seven of which were of major proportions. The most serious fire occurred in a 21 story home located next to the Town Line Garage on Rte. 28 ByPass next to the Manchester line. Because of the extensive progress made by the fire before discovery it resulted in a complete loss of the property.

In addition to the building fires, other calls included 29 forest and brush fires. 23 calls for ressuscitator aid to citizens. 5 calls for bombing threats. There were 10 calls for mutual aid assistance, 5 to the City of Manchester, 1 to Hooksett Village, 3 to Pembroke and one to Allenstown. The Department responded to 15 false alarms 12 of which were at New Hampshire College. There were 41 other miscellaneous calls.

In answering these alarms, our records show that in addition to the two permanent firemen it required a total of 2,222 manhours from the call members. The estimated value of the property involved was set at $908,000.00 with an estimated loss of taxable property being set at $72,000.00. 85 calls occurred during the daytime hours and 66 during the night time hours.

Four members resigned from the Department during the year. Leaving were Leonard C. Law; Wayne Dimick and Charles Dennis who all moved away from Hooksett. Also Edmund Turmelle who was granted a leave of absence to serve in the United States Air Force.

To replace the members leaving, the following were appointed as regular members after completing the prescribed training course. They are: Ronald J. Barnett; Kerry J. Pomeroy; Stephen W. Mandeville; Robert C. Morin Jr.,; Leonard Desrochers and Maurice Dionne.

A new asphalt parking apron was installed during the year. Although an appropriation of $2,000.00 was granted for this purpose the project was completed at a cost of $1,670.82. This was accomplished at a considerable savings because of the many hours of labor donated by the members and also the many loads of gravel donated by R. Zapora Transportation Co.

Our report would not be complete without expressing our sincere thanks to Mrs. Eleanor Clark for again donating a new all weather flag to the Department last February. It is customary for us to fly the American Flag 24 hours a day. However, since the existing flag was no longer serviceable it had been taken down and we were awaiting our appropriation to purchase a new one. Mrs. Clark, having noticed that no flag was being flown, purchased a new one and donated it since she and other neighbors enjoy seeing it flying especially during the evening hours when it is lit up.

The report of the "Fire Study Committee" was delivered to the Board of Selectmen in December. Both Asst. Chief Boisvert and I sat on this Committee. It is our hope that the citizens will see fit to implement the recommendations arrived at so as to assure that Hooksett shall continue to be able to render the needed fire protection to its property owners in the future. Two of the major items recommended by the Committee was the purchase of a Ladder Truck and the construction of a Central Fire Station.

In accordance with the New Hampshire Statutes, Chapter 251; Laws of 1947, a total of 12 permits were issued for the installation of power oil burner equipment. Of these, one required a reinspection before an operating permit could be issued.

ALFRED J. LAW
Chief

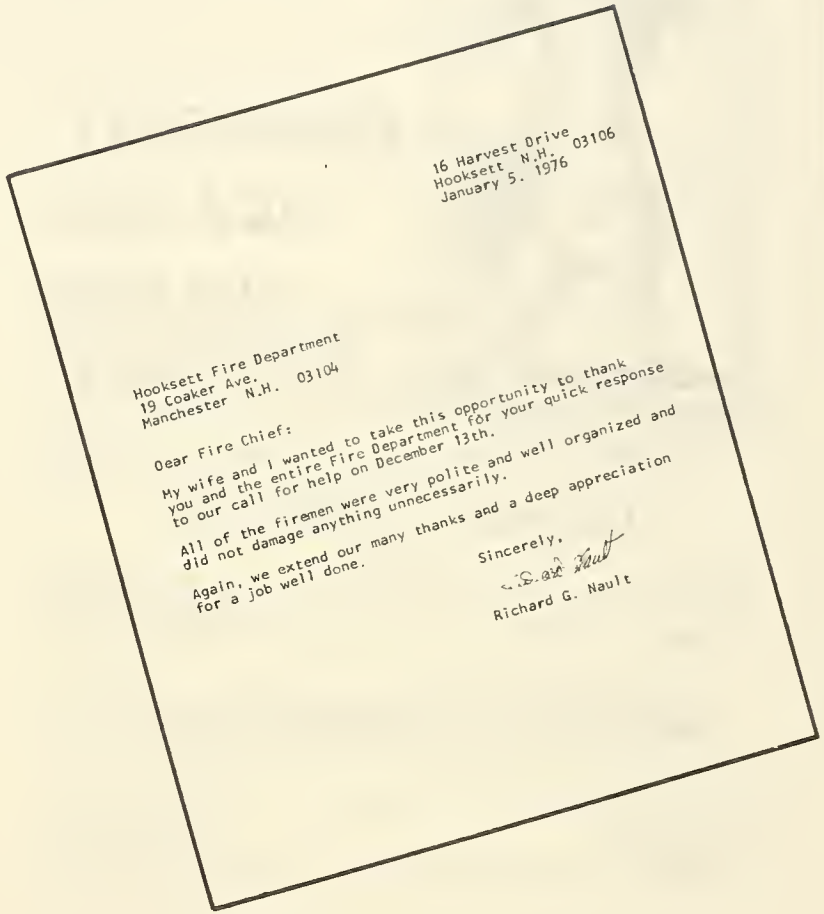
Telephones:

To Report a Fire	485-5177
Fire Station	623-7272
Chief Law	623-1886
Asst. Chief Boisvert	622-3330

SOUTH HOOKSETT FIRE DEPARTMENT

Report of Expenditures

1975 Appropriation	$28,820.00
Expenditures:	
New England Telephone	373.72
Public Service Company	484.83
Water & Sewer Expense	57.60
Maintenance & Repair of Building	1,786.00
Heating of Building	1,011.77
Gas & Oil Vehicles	531.29
Maintenance & Repairs Engine 1	488.82
Maintenance & Repairs Engine 2	1,064.73
Maintenance & Repairs Engine 3	1,145.98
Office Expense	110.25
Food Expense (Fires & Mtgs)	181.62
Subscription Expense	67.00
Maintenance & Repairs Radios	97.00
Maintenance & Repairs Port. Equip.	4.27
Repairs & Replacement of Hose	8.50
Repairs & Replacement of Clothing	341.54
Replacement of Expendables	146.92
Training Expense	578.50
Payroll:	
Permanent Firemen	14,860.00
Call Firemen	5,112.05
New Equipment:	
2 G.E. Portable Radios	1,672.00
Total Expenditures	$30,124.39
Expenditures Over Appropriation	($1,304.39)



16 Harvest Drive
Hooksett N.H. 03106
January 5. 1976

Hooksett Fire Department
19 Coaker Ave.
Manchester N.H. 03104

Dear Fire Chief:

My wife and I wanted to take this opportunity to thank you and the entire Fire Department for your quick response to our call for help on December 13th.

All of the firemen were very polite and well organized and did not damage anything unnecessarily.

Again, we extend our many thanks and a deep appreciation for a job well done.

Sincerely,

Richard G. Nault

Using the Divining Rod. From an Old Print of 1702.

HOOKSETT VILLAGE WATER PRECINCT

DISTRICT OFFICERS

Moderator	Philip Lafond
Clerk	Barbara Tassie
Treasurer	Barbara Tassie

WATER COMMISSIONERS

Albert E. Beauchesne, Chairman	Term expires 1979
Roger Hebert	Term expires 1976
George Gladu	Term expires 1977
James Vallee	Term expires 1978
Leo Hebert	Term expires 1980

COMMISSIONERS REPORT

As of the end of 1975, the Precinct serves 460 customers. During the year, the Precinct pumped 57,058,000 gallons of water, an increase of 2,803,000 gallons over 1974 consumption.

The metering program which was started six years ago has been completed and of our 460 accounts, 445 customers are now metered. It is not practical to meter the remaining 60 accounts because of the expense involved with metering those particular locations. Funds have been allocated in the 1976 budget to purchase 25 new meters and these will be used for new services and for the replacement of meters which are removed for repairs.

In February of 1976, work will begin on the installation of the water main on the new bridge. The Precinct 1975 Warrant contained an Article for $77,000.00, to be raised by a bond issue and to be used to implement the relocation of the main. This bond issue was approved by the voters of the Precinct at the Annual Precinct Meeting held in March of 1975. In 1974, the Commissioners had engaged the services of an engineering firm who was to determine the costs of relocation and to provide plans and specifications for the project. When the work was put out to bid in 1975, it was learned that the cost estimate was inaccurate and that there were insufficient funds available to complete the water main relocation. As a result, the Commissioners decided to use the money that had been approved towards the most expensive portion of the project, the installation of a new main on the new bridge. This phase was put out to bids and the contract was awarded to North Country Construction. The funds that will remain after the construction and the engineering firms have been paid will be used to purchase some of the materials required for the future connection to the existing water system. An additional $16,000.00 will be needed to complete the entire pipe relocation and a bond issue for that amount will be presented for voter approval in our 1976 Precinct Meeting. The Board of Commissioners are convinced that both long term and short term interests require the movement of the main to the new bridge.

The general operation of the Precinct during 1975 was excellent and without any financial or operational problems. The 1976 budget is lower than the1975 budget and as a direct result the 1976 Precinct Tax will be approximately $6,000.00 less than in 1975.

The Commissioners meet at the Precinct Building, 2 Main St., on the last Monday of each month. Anyone interested in meeting with the Board may do so by contacting the Chairman, Mr. Albert Beauchesne and scheduling an appointment.

BOARD OF WATER COMMISSIONERS

State of New Hampshire
Department of Revenue Administration
Concord, 03301

Lloyd M. Price
Commissioner

Division of Municipal Accounting
Frederick E. LaPlante
Director

SUMMARY OF FINDINGS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

Board of Water Commissioners
Hooksett Village Water Precinct
Hooksett, New Hampshire 03106

Gentlemen:

Submitted herewith is the report of an examination and audit of the accounts of the Hooksett Village Water Precinct for the fiscal year ended December 31, 1974, which was made by this Division in accordance with the vote of the Precinct. Exhibits as hereafter listed are included as part of the report.

Our examination included such tests of the accounting records and such other auditing procedures as were considered necessary in the circumstances.

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

General Fund:

Comparative Balance Sheets - December 31, 1973 and December 31, 1974:
(Exhibit A-1)

Comparative Balance Sheets showing the financial condition of the general fund as of December 31, 1973 and December 31, 1974 are presented in Exhibit A-1. As indicated therein, the current surplus of the Precinct decreased by $1,889 from $12,218 to $10,329 during 1974.

Analysis of Change in Current Financial Condition: (Exhibit A-2)

An analysis of the change in current financial condition of the Precinct during the fiscal year is made in Exhibit A-2, with the factors which caused the change indicated therein. These were as follows:

Decrease in Current Surplus:	
Surplus Used To Reduce Precinct Tax Rate	$12,024
Increases in Current Surplus:	
Net Budget Surplus (Exhibit A-4)	$10,109
Water Collector's Excess Credits	26
	10,135
Net Decrease in Current Surplus	$1,889

Comparative Statement of Appropriations and Expenditures - Estimated and Actual Revenues: (Exhibits A-3 and A-4)

Comparative statements of general fund appropriations and expenditures, estimated and actual revenues for the fiscal year ended December 31, 1974 are presented in Exhibits A-3 and A-4. As indicated by the Budget Summary (Exhibit A-4), a net unexpended balance of appropriations of $10,099 plus a revenue surplus of $10, resulted in a net budget surplus of $10,109.

Indebtedness

Comparative Balance Sheets - December 31, 1973 and December 31, 1974 - Debt Service Requirements: (Exhibits A-5 and A-6)

Comparative Balance Sheets of the outstanding long-term debt as of December 31, 1973 and December 31, 1974 are presented in Exhibit A-5. A statement of annual debt service requirements is contained in Exhibit A-6.

Treasurer

General Fund:

Classified Statement of Receipts and Expenditures: (Exhibit B-1)

A classified statement of general fund receipts and expenditures of the Precinct for the fiscal year ended December 31, 1974, is included in Exhibit B-1.

General Comments

Written Commitment of Water Rents Recommended:

The accounting for water rents is presently inadequately controlled inasmuch as the Collector of Water Rents is not given a firm commitment of water assessments, signed and sealed by the Water Commissioners. The procedure that is followed at this time is such that the Collector must compute the meter readings and post these computations to individual ledger sheets.

In order to provide sound accounting control over these revenues, it is again recommended that written water rents warrants together with lists of water assessments be delivered to the Collector at each billing period.

Basis of Accounting:

The accounts of the Precinct are kept essentially on the cash basis of accounting; i. e., revenues are recorded when collected and expenditures when paid; the cost of plant acquisition and improvements is charged to expense in the fiscal year in which disbursements are made. Perpetual inventory records are not maintained.

This report, however, was prepared on the modified cash basis; uncollected water rents and other service charges due to the Precinct have been set up in the Comparative Balance Sheets (Exhibit A-1).

The general accounting system consists primarily of cash receipts and disbursements journals. General ledger proprietary and budgetary accounts are not kept. Similarly, subsidiary plant and equipment ledgers are not maintained.

Consequently, the accounting system is incomplete and does not provide adequate accounting over resources and activities of the Precinct. For this reason, it is not possible to prepare meaningful and accurate financial statements which express precisely the financial condition or operating results of the Precinct.

Adoption of General Accounting System Recommended:

We again recommend the installation of a complete accounting system. This system should include all general ledger accounts and subsidiary ledger records necessary to reflect accurately the financial condition and operating results of the Precinct.

Conclusion:

The provisions of Chapter 71 - A, Section 21 of the Revised Statutes Annotated require that the auditors' summary of findings and recommendations (letter of transmittal) shall be published in the next annual report of the Precinct. Publication of the Exhibits contained in the audit report is optional at the discretion of the Board of Water Commissioners.

We extend our thanks to the officials of the Hooksett Village Water Precinct for their assistance during the course of the audit.

Very truly yours,

Frederick E. Laplante

Frederick E. Laplante
Director
DIVISION OF MUNICIPAL ACCOUNTING
DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE ADMINISTRATION

CERTIFICATE OF AUDIT

This is to certify that we have examined and audited the accounts and records of the Hooksett Village Water Precinct for the fiscal year ended December 31, 1974.

Our examination included such tests of the accounting records and such other auditing procedures as were considered necessary in the circumstances.

The exhibits presented herewith reflect the financial condition of the Precinct as of December 31, 1974, and the results of operations for the year ended, resulting from cash transactions, on a basis consistent with that of preceding fiscal years.

In view of the fact that the accounts of the Precinct are not kept in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles applicable to enterprise funds of governmental entities; i. e., the accrual basis of accounting is not followed, inventories are not taken up, plant acquisitions are charged direct to expense rather than capitalized, depreciation on fixed assets is not recognized, the accompanying statements do not reflect fairly the financial condition at December 31, 1974 and the results of operations of the Precinct for the year then ended.

Respectfully submitted,

Frederick E. Laplante

Frederick E. Laplante
Director
DIVISION OF MUNICIPAL ACCOUNTING
Department of Revenue Administration

Warrant

State of New Hampshire

TO THE INHABITANTS OF THE CENTRAL HOOKSETT WATER PRECINCT IN THE TOWN OF HOOKSETT AND COUNTY OF MERRIMACK IN SAID STATE QUALIFIED TO VOTE IN SAID PRECINCT AFFAIRS:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Underhill School in said Precinct on Wednesday, the 10th day of March, next at seven-thirty o'clock in the evening to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the ensuing year.

2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.

3. To choose a Water Commissioner for the ensuing five years.

4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.

5. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray Precinct charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same.

6. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal this 30th day of January, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and seventy-six.

Ralph W. Page
Rudolph J. Dlugosz
Laurent Boucher
Edward H. Enright
Everett R. Hardy

Board of Water Commissioners
Central Hooksett Water Precinct

A true Copy of Warrant - Attest:

Ralph W. Page
Rudolph J. Dlugosz
Laurent J. Boucher
Edward H. Enright
Everett R. Hardy

Board of Water Commissioners
Central Hooksett Water Precinct

Hooksett Village Water Precinct

1976 BUDGET

	1975 ESTIMATE	1975 ACTUAL	1976 ESTIMATE
Cash on Hand - January 1st	$ 9,317.88	$ 9,317.88	$ 7,722.71
Water Rents	21,000.00	23,468.17	24,000.00
Hydrant Rents	4,800.00	4,800.00	4,800.00
Reimbursements - Services	----	750.00	----
Miscellaneous	----	7.25	----
New Hampshire Business Profits Tax	735.00	771.16	772.00
Serial Notes - Authorized 1975	77,000.00	----	77,000.00
Serial Notes - Authorized 1976	----	----	16,000.00
Precinct Tax	18,502.12	18,465.97	12,394.29
	131,355.00	57,580.43	142,689.00
Less Expenditures		49,857.72	
Cash on Hand - January 1, 1976		$ 7,722.71	

Hooksett Village Water Precinct - 1976

Acc't No.	Item	1975 Budget	Reimbursements	Total Funds Available	Actual Expenditures	Unexpended Balance	Overdrafts	1976 Budget
	WATER SUPPLY EXPENSE							
68	Pumping Station Maintenance	1,500.00	-----	1,500.00	1,232.94	267.06	-----	1,500.00
71	Power Purchased	4,800.00	-----	4,800.00	5,687.68	-----	887.68	6,000.00
62	General Production Expense	500.00	-----	500.00	395.50	104.50	-----	500.00
	DISTRIBUTION EXPENSE							
85	Maintenance of Mains	2,000.00	-----	2,000.00	670.03	1,329.97	-----	1,000.00
86	Maintenance of Services	1,800.00	-----	1,800.00	1,574.10	225.90	-----	1,800.00
87	Maintenance of Standpipe	800.00	-----	800.00	108.80	691.20	-----	300.00
88	Maintenance of Hydrants	500.00	-----	500.00	551.35	-----	51.35	500.00
89	Maintenance of Meters	600.00	-----	600.00	166.93	433.07	-----	300.00
	GENERAL EXPENSES							
103	Election Expense	75.00	-----	75.00	53.08	21.92	-----	75.00
66	Labor	12,150.00	-----	12,150.00	12,005.26	144.74	-----	12,900.00
95	Officers' Salaries	1,005.00	-----	1,005.00	1,005.00	-----	-----	1,005.00
97	Officers' Expenses	125.00	-----	125.00	-----	125.00	-----	125.00
101	Office Supplies	600.00	-----	600.00	360.13	239.87	-----	500.00
98	Engineering	2,000.00	-----	2,000.00	1,109.25	890.75	-----	1,000.00
100	Legal and Audit	2,500.00	-----	2,500.00	941.45	1,558.55	-----	1,000.00
102	Insurance	1,300.00	-----	1,300.00	1,064.78	235.22	-----	1,300.00
105	Truck Expenses	750.00	-----	750.00	581.26	168.74	-----	750.00
102	Interest	2,000.00	-----	2,000.00	1,488.75	511.25	-----	3,834.00
35	Emergency Fund	800.00	-----	800.00	-----	800.00	-----	50.00
42	Debt Retirement	11,000.00	-----	11,000.00	11,000.00	-----	-----	11,000.00
34	Repair and Replacement Fund	1,000.00	-----	1,000.00	1,000.00	-----	-----	1,000.00
25	Precinct Building	1,200.00	-----	1,200.00	1,001.64	198.36	-----	1,200.00
	NEW CONSTRUCTION EQUIPMENT							
23	Hydrants	100.00	-----	100.00	-----	100.00	-----	100.00
21	Mains	77,000.00	-----	77,000.00	4,747.69	72,252.31	-----	93,000.00
22	Services	500.00	750.00	1,250.00	359.20	890.80	-----	500.00
24	Meters	2,500.00	-----	2,500.00	2,635.05	-----	135.05	1,250.00
28	Equipment	250.00	-----	250.00	117.85	132.15	-----	200.00
2	Test Wells	2,000.00	-----	2,000.00	-----	2,000.00	-----	-----
	TOTALS	131,355.00	750.00	132,105.00	49,857.72	83,321.36	1,074.08	142,689.00

Financial Report

OF THE

Hooksett Village Water Precinct

FOR THE

Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1974

FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE HOOKSETT VILLAGE WATER PRECINCT

BALANCE SHEET

ASSETS:		
Cash an Hand		
Band and Note Fund Cash	$ 7,722.71	
Repair & Replacement 2-90220-3	6,446.05	
TOTAL ASSETS		$14,168.76
Excess of Liabilities aver Assets (Net Debt)		23,831.24
GRAND TOTAL		$38,000.00
LIABILITIES:		
Bands Outstanding	$ 38,000.00	
TOTAL LIABILITIES		38,000.00
Excess of Assets over Liabilities (Surplus)		.00
GRAND TOTAL		$38,000.00

SCHEDULE OF PRECINCT PROPERTY

LANDS AND BUILDINGS:	
Water Supply Land	$ 3,240.00
Water Supply Structures	11,088.81
Pumping Station Structures	8,436.06
Water Storage Structures	13,768.13
Other Structures	9,285.18
Pumping Station Equipment	43,668.85
Transmission Mains	65,331.47
FURNITURE AND APPARATUS:	
Distribution Mains	123,783.54
Services	32,450.80
Hydrants	9,857.00
Meters	23,190.50
Equipment	5,010.63
	349,110.97
Less Reserve for Depreciation	134,460.48
TOTAL VALUATION	214,650.49

RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS

RECEIPTS:

Current Revenue:		
From Taxes		
N. H. Business Profits Tax	$ 771.16	
Precinct Tax	18,465.97	
From Other Sources:		
Water Rents	23,468.17	
Hydrant Rents	4,800.00	
Other:		
Reimbursements - Services	750.00	
Miscellaneous Income	7.25	
TOTAL RECEIPTS FROM ALL SOURCES		
Cash on hand at beginning of year		
GRAND TOTAL		

PAYMENTS :

Current Maintenance Expenses:		
Pumping Station Maintenance	$ 1,232.94	
Power Purchased	5,687.68	
General Production Expense	395.50	
Maintenance of Mains	670.03	
Maintenance of Services	1,574.10	
Maintenance of Standpipe	108.80	
Maintenance of Hydrants	551.35	
Maintenance of Meters	166.93	
Election Expense	53.08	
Labor	12,005.26	
Officers' Salaries	1,005.00	
Office Supplies	360.13	
Engineering	1,109.25	
Legal & Audit	941.45	
Insurance	1,064.78	
Truck Expense	581.26	
Precinct Building	1,001.64	
TOTAL CURRENT MAINTENANCE EXPENSES:		$ 28,509.18
Interest Paid		1,488.75
Outlay, New Construction & Equip.:		
Mains	4,747.69	
Services	359.20	
Meters	2,635.05	
Equipment	117.85	
TOTAL OUTLAY PAYMENTS		7,859.79
Indebtedness:		
Payments on Bonds	11,000.00	
Payment to Capitol Reserve Funds	1,000.00	
TOTAL INDEBTEDNESS PAYMENTS		12,000.00
TOTAL PAYMENTS FOR ALL PURPOSES		$ 49,857.72
Cash on hand at end of year		7,722.71
GRAND TOTAL		$57,580.43

1976 BUDGET OF THE VILLAGE WATER PRECINCT
IN THE TOWN OF HOOKSETT, NEW HAMPSHIRE

APPROPRIATIONS OR EXPENDITURES	Actual Expenditures Prior Year	Recommended By Budget Cammittee
WATER SUPPLY EXPENSE		
68 Pumping Station Maintenance	$ 1,232.94	1,500.00
71 Power Purchased	5,687.68	6,000.00
62 General Production Expense	395.50	500.00
DISTRIBUTION EXPENSES		
85 Maintenance of Mains	670.03	1,000.00
86 Maintenance of Services	1,574.10	1,800.00
87 Maintenance of Standpipe	108.80	300.00
88 Maintenance af Hydrants	551.35	500.00
89 Maintenance of Meters	166.93	300.00
GENERAL EXPENSES		
103 Election Expense	53.08	75.00
66 Labor	12,005.26	12,900.00
95 Officers' Salaries	1,005.00	1,005.00
97 Officers' Expenses		125.00
101 Office Supplies	360.13	500.00
98 Engineering	1,109.25	1,000.00
100 Legal & Audit	941.45	1,000.00
102 Insurance	1,064.78	1,300.00
105 Truck Expense	581.26	750.00
102 Interest	1,488.75	3,834.00
35 Emergency Fund		50.00
42 Debt Retirement	11,000.00	11,000.00
34 Repair & Replacement Fund	1,000.00	1,000.00
25 Precinct Building	1,001.64	1,200.00
NEW CONSTRUCTION		
23 Hydrants		100.00
21 Mains Article $16,000	4,747.69	93,000.00
22 Services	359.20	500.00
24 Meters	2,635.05	1,250.00
28 Equipment	117.85	200.00
TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS OR EXPENDITURES	49,857.72	142,689.00

SOURCE OF REVENUES AND CREDITS	Actuol Revenue For Prior Year	Estimated Revenue For Current Year
Surplus Available to Reduce Precinct Taxes	9,317.88	7,722.71
Hydrant Rentols	4,800.00	4,800.00
Water Rents	23,468.17	24,000.00
Other Revenues & Credits		
Reimbursements: Services	750.00	
Misc.	7.25	
N. H. Business Profits Tax	771.16	772.00
Serial Notes-Authorized 1975		77,000.00
Serial Notes-Authorized 1976		16,000.00
TOTAL REVENUES EXCEPT PRECINCT TAXES		130,294.71
AMOUNT TO BE RAISED BY PRECINCT TAXES		12,394.29
TOTAL REVENUES AND PRECINCT TAXES		142,689.00

February 11, 1975

Budget Committee:

Dovid Hess	Gerry Handley
Gerald Beouchesne	John Jacabs
Roger E. Hebert	Roger R. Bergeron
M. Lee Harvey	Dovid E. Show
William H. Greenough	James C. Perkins
Lowell D. Apple	Ralph Page

Central Hooksett Water Precinct

Officers for year ending December 31, 1975

Moderator	Frank Bennet
Clerk	Bertha Page
Treasurer	Beverly Morrison

List of Commissioners:

Ralph W. Page	Term expires 1976
Rudolph J. Dlugosz	Term expires 1977
Laurent Boucher	Term expires 1978
Edward Enright	Term expires 1979
Everett Hardy	Term expires 1980

The office, at 14 Martins Ferry Road, is open Monday - Friday from 3:00-5:00 P.M. and during the months of February, May, August and November only it is open the regular daily hours plus Thursday evenings from 7:00 to 9:00.

The commissioners' regular monthly meetings are held at the office on the second Wednesday of each month at 7:30 P.M. - except for our March meeting and Annual Meeting which is held at the Underhill School.

The year 1975 found the precinct still expanding, in spite of the poor economy.

We installed approximately 2,000 feet of new mains for New Hampshire College dormitories built in Hooksett, and they are taxable so are a gain for the precinct; they also put in an Athletic Field which is serviced with precinct water.

One very important accomplishment came out of their extension- that was that it gives us a second supply in case of emergency because we now have a hydrant set next to a hydrant of the Manchester Water Works supply on North River Road.

We also painted the 250,000 gallon standpipe inside and out. We want to thank the people of the precinct for their cooperation and conserving of water during this operation. When the tank is empty for painting the water available is supplied by running one or two well pumps 24 hours a day and does not give us any reserve supply.

We hope that by the next time we have to paint the tank we will have a second tank so that there will be no inconvenience to our customers.

We also had to recondition one well in order to increase its capacity which had fallen off over a period of time.

Negotiations for a new well have not been completed yet; the monies for this porject ($60,000.00) was approved at the 1975 Annual Meeting and will not be borrowed until needed.

Our new office is working out very well. Our precinct members seem to approve of it and are glad to have an office to come to to take care of any business they have with the water department.

I wish to thank all our officials for their interest and work in connection with running the department, - it means a lot to have a good working Board of Commissioners.

Ralph W. Page-Supt. & Commissioner

CENTRAL HOOKSETT WATER PRECINCT

DEPRECIATION SCHEDULE — 1975

	AMOUNT	RATE	1975 DEPRECIATION
Water Supply Structures	$ 32,922.77	4%	$ 1,316.89
Pumping Station Structures	2,237.88	1½%	33.57
Water Storage Structures	19,268.79	1½%	289.03
Storage Structures	2,911.41	3%	87.37
Pumping Station Equipment	23,394.71	4%	935.79
Mains	192,401.34	1½%	2,886.02
Services	55,423.41	4%	2,216.94
Hydrants	20,401.41	2½%	510.04
Meters	17,823.09	5%	891.15
Equipment	5,124.02	10%	512.40
			9,679.20
PRIOR YEARS DEPRECIATION			104,946.50
DEPRECIATION RESERVE, DECEMBER 31, 1975			$ 114.625.70

Central Hooksett Water Precinct

REPORT
OF AN EXAMINATION AND AUDIT

OF THE ACCOUNTS

OF THE

CENTRAL HOOKSETT WATER PRECINCT

FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1974

MADE BY

THE DIVISION OF MUNICIPAL ACCOUNTING

STATE TAX COMMISSION

CENTRAL HOOKSETT WATER PRECINCT

SUMMARY OF FINDINGS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

Board of Commissioners
Central Hooksett Water Precinct
Hooksett, New Hampshire 03106

Gentlemen:

Submitted herewith is the report of an examination and audit of the accounts of the Central Hooksett Water Precinct for the fiscal year ended December 31, 1974, which was made by this Division in accordance with the vote of the Precinct. Exhibits as hereafter listed are included as part of the report.

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

General Fund:

Comparative Balance Sheets - December 31, 1973 and December 31, 1974: (Exhibit A-1)

Comparative Balance Sheets showing the financial condition of the general fund as of December 31, 1973 and December 31, 1974 are presented in Exhibit A-1. As indicated therein, the Current Surplus increased by $725 in 1974 from $5,749 to $6,474.

Analysis of Change in Current Financial Condition: (Exhibit A-2)

An analysis of change in current financial condition of the Precinct is made in Exhibit A-2, with the factors which caused the change indicated therein. These were as follows:

Analysis of Change

Increase in Current Surplus:	
Net Budget Surplus (Exhibit A-4)	$6,466
Decrease in Current Surplus:	
Surplus Used To Reduce Precinct Tax Rate	5,741
Net Increase in Current Surplus	$725

Comparative Statements of Appropriations and Expenditures - Estimated and Actual Revenues: (Exhibits A-3 and A-4)

Comparative statements of appropriations and expenditures, estimated and actual revenues for the fiscal year ended December 31, 1974, are presented in Exhibits A-3 and A-4. As indicated by the Budget Summary (Exhibit A-4), a net unexpended balance of appropriations of $4,583, plus a revenue surplus of $1,883 resulted in a net budget surplus of $6,466.

INDEBTEDNESS

Long-Term Indebtedness:

Comparative Balance Sheets - December 31, 1973 and December 31, 1974: (Exhibit A-5)

Comparative Balance Sheets of outstanding long-term indebtedness as of December 31, 1973 and December 31, 1974 are presented in Exhibit A-5. A statement of annual debt service requirements is contained in Exhibit A-6.

TREASURER

General Fund:

Classified Statement of Receipts and Expenditures: (Exhibit B-1)

A classified statement of general fund receipts and expenditures for the fiscal year ended December 31, 1974 is included in Exhibit B-1.

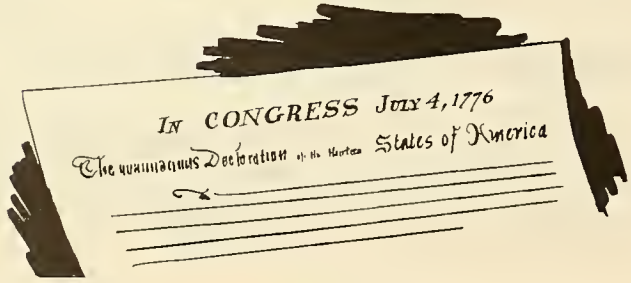
Replacement Fund:

The activity in the special Replacement Fund account, which is in the custody of the Precinct Treasurer, is disclosed in Exhibit B-2.

At December 31, 1974, the fund balance was $24,688.

AUDIT PROCEDURE

The accounts and records of all Precinct Officials charged with the custody, receipt and disbursement of public funds were examined and audited in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, and accordingly included such tests of the accounting records and such other auditing procedures as were considered necessary in the circumstances.



GENERAL COMMENTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

Replacement Fund - (Capital Reserve Fund) - $24,688:

This amount represents the aggregate sum of annual appropriations transferred to this account and accumulated interest on deposits there of as of December 31, 1974.

According to the records of the Precinct, the purpose of this fund is to accumulate surplus money for the purchase, repair and replacement of existing facilities and equipment at a later date.

As we indicated in our previous reports, there is no statutory authority contained in the revised Statutes Annotated that impowers municipalities to set up replacement funds. Funds for the specific purpose of repairing existing facilities and equipment must be raised in the annual budget of the Precinct.

The Capital Reserve Fund Act (R.S.A. Chapter 35), however, provides authority to create capital reserve funds for the purchase or replacement of facilities and equipment. Such funds, however, may not be used for the purpose of repairing existing facilities and equipment. The law further provides that any capital reserve of a town, school district, or village district (precinct) shall be in the custody of the Trustees of Trust Funds of the Town (R.S.A. 35:10). This requirement is mandatory and must be complied with in all instances.

With regard to the existing replacement fund and in view of the above mentioned statutes, this fund should be transferred to the custody of the Trustees of Trust Funds, in compliance with the law.

Basis of Accounting:

The accounts of the Precinct are kept on a cash basis of accounting; i. e., revenues are recorded when collected and expenditures when paid; the cost of plant acquisitions and improvements is charged to expense in the fiscal year in which disbursements are made. Perpetual inventory records are not maintained.

Accounting System:

The general accounting system consists primarily of cash receipts and disbursement journals. General ledger proprietary and budgetary accounts are not kept. Similarly, subsidiary plant and equipment ledgers are not maintained.

Consequently, the accounting system is incomplete and does not provide adequate accounting over the resources and activities of the Precinct. For this reason, it is not possible to prepare meaningful and accurate financial statements of the precise financial condition or operating results of the Precinct.

Adoption of General Accounting System Recommended:

We again recommend the installation of a complete general accounting system, which will include all general ledger accounts and subsidiary ledger records necessary to reflect accurately the financial condition and operating results of the Precinct.

In connection with the above recommendation, it should be noted that this Division has been contacted for assistance in establishing an improved accounting system. It is expected that this work will be completed as soon as possible.

Written Commitment of Water Rents Recommended:

The accounting for water rents is presently inadequately controlled inasmuch as the Collector of Water Rents is not presented with a firm commitment of water assessments, signed and sealed, by the Water Commissioners. The procedure followed at this time is that the Collector must compute the meter readings and post these computations to individual water rent cards.

In order to provide sound accounting control over these revenues of the Precinct, this Division recommends that written water rent warrants, together with lists of water assessments, be delivered to the Collector at each billing period. It is further recommended that all abatements be authorized in writing by the Board of Water Commissioners.

Incompatibility of Officers - Treasurer - Collector:

In accordance with R.S.A. 52:8 which governs the duties of Village Districts (Precinct) officers, the moderator, clerk, treasurer and commissioners shall severally qualify and possess the same powers and perform the same duties in respect to the district's meeting and business affairs that the moderator, clerk, Treasurer and selectmen of towns respectively possess and perform in respect to like matters in towns.

Further reference is made to R.S.A. 41:4 which prohibits a person from holding any two of the following offices: "selectmen (commissioners), treasurer, moderator, trustees of trust funds, collector of taxes . . ."

Conclusion:

The provisions of Chapter 71-a, Section 21 of the Revised Statutes Annotated, require that the auditor's summary of findings and recommendations (letter of transmittal) shall be published in the next annual report of the Precinct. The exhibits included in this report may be published at the discretion of the Board of Commissioners, but this letter must be published in its entirety.

We extend our thanks to the officials of the Precinct for their assistance during the course of this audit.

Very truly yours,

Frederick E. Laplante

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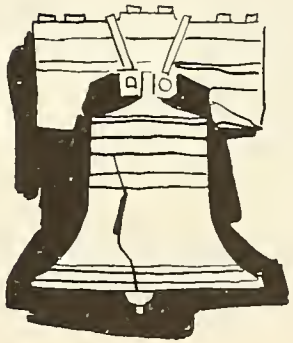

CENTRAL HOOKSETT WATER PRECINCT

Certificate of Audit

This is to certify that we have examined and audited the accounts and records of the Central Hooksett Water Precinct for the fiscal year ended December 31, 1974.

Our examination included such tests of the accounting records and such other auditing procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

The exhibits presented herewith reflect the financial conditions of the Precinct as of December 31, 1974, and the results of operations for the year then ended, resulting from cash transactions, on a basis consistent with that of preceding years.

In view of the fact that the accounts of the Precinct are not kept in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles applicable to enterprise funds of governmental entities; i. e., the accrual basis of accounting is not followed, inventories are not taken, plant acquisitions are charged to expense rather than capitalized, depreciation on fixed assets is not recognized, the accompanying statements do not reflect fairly the financial condition at December 31, 1974 and the results of operations of the Precinct for the year then ended.

Very truly yours,

Frederick E. Laplante
Director
DIVISION OF MUNICIPAL ACCOUNTING
DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE ADMINISTRATION

FEL: fhp

Financial Report

OF THE

Central Hooksett Water Precinct

FOR THE

Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1975

BALANCE SHEET

ASSETS		
Cash on Hand		
General Fund	$ 3,562.43	
Capital Reserve Funds		
Repair & Replacement Fund	22,989.59	
Capital Reserve Fund	25,823.24	
TOTAL ASSETS		$ 52,375.26
Excess of Liabilities over Assets (Net Debt)		7,624.74
GRAND TOTAL		$ 60,000.00
LIABILITIES		
Notes Outstanding	$ 8,000.00	
Bonds Outstanding	52,000.00	
TOTAL LIABILITIES		$ 60,000.00
Excess of Assets over Liabilities (Surplus)		.00
GRAND TOTAL		$ 60,000.00

SCHEDULE OF PRECINCT PROPERTY

LANDS AND BUILDINGS:		
Pumping Station Land	$ 2,275.91	
Water Storage Land	801.10	
Water Supply Structures	32,922.77	
Pumping Station Structures	2,237.88	
Water Storage Structures	19,268.79	
Storage Structures	2,911.41	
FURNITURE AND APPARATUS:		
Pumping Station Equipment	23,394.71	
Mains	192,401.34	
Services	55,423.41	
Hydrants	20,401.41	
Meters	17,823.09	
Equipment	5,124.02	
		$374,985.84
Less Reserve for Depreciation		114,625.70
TOTAL VALUATION		$260,360.14

RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS

RECEIPTS:

Current Revenue:		
From Taxes		
Business Profits Tax	$ 2,571.40	
Precinct Tax	13,058.21	
From Other Sources:		
Water Rents	30,302.34	
Hydrant Rents	5,000.00	
Other:		
Reimbursements		
Maintenance of Mains	25.00	
Mains	25.00	
Services	1,570.07	
Meters	164.40	
Pumping Station Equipment	17.50	
Insurance	8.00	
Withdrawals from Capital Reserve Funds	3,000.00	
Cash on hand at beginning of year		5,255.41
GRAND TOTAL		$ 60,997.33

PAYMENTS:

Current Maintenance Expenses			
Pumping Station Maintenance	$ 4,787.25		
Power Purchased	6,659.31		
Rent of Well Site	4,750.00		
Maintenance of Mains	150.75		
Maintenance of Standpipe	3,042.75		
Maintenance of Services	283.46		
Maintenance of Hydrants	504.58		
Maintenance of Meters	1,230.63		
Labor	4,401.51		
Officer's Salaries	2,366.03		
Office Expense	2,514.60		
Legal	750.00		
Insurance	648.00		
Audit	209.76		
TOTAL CURRENT MAINTENANCE EXPENSES			$ 32,298.63
Interest Paid			2,470.00
Outlay, New Construction & Equip.:			
Pumping Station Equip.	803.03		
Mains	5,634.10		
Services	877.69		
Hydrants	1,203.70		
Meters	168.10		
General Equipment	979.65		
TOTAL OUTLAY PAYMENTS			9,666.27
Indebtedness:			
Payment on Notes	2,000.00		
Payment on Bonds	7,000.00		
Payment to Capital Reserve Funds	4,000.00		
TOTAL INDEBTEDNESS PAYMENTS			13,000.00
TOTAL PAYMENTS FOR ALL PURPOSES			$ 57,434.90
Cash on hand at end of year			3,562.43
GRAND TOTAL			$ 60,997.33

Beverly T. Marrison
Treasurer

Central Hooksett Water Precinct — 1976 Budget

No.	Account	1975 Budget	Reimbursements	Total Available	Actual Expense	Unexpended Balance	Overdraft	1976 Proposed Budget
WATER SUPPLY								
68	Pumping Station Maintenance	$ 4,500.00	$	$ 4,500.00	$ 4,787.25	$	$ 287.25	$ 4,500.00
71	Power Purchased	6,250.00		6,250.00	6,659.31		409.31	8,500.00
75	Rent of Well Site	4,750.00		4,750.00	4,750.00			4,750.00
DISTRIBUTION EXPENSE								
85	Maintenance of Mains	700.00	25.00	725.00	150.75	574.25		700.00
86	Maintenance of Standpipe	3,000.00		3,000.00	3,042.75		42.75	800.00
87	Maintenance of Services	300.00		300.00	283.46	16.54		400.00
88	Maintenance of Hydrants	700.00		700.00	504.58	195.42		800.00
89	Maintenance of Meters	1,600.00	25.00	1,625.00	1,230.63	394.37		1,600.00
GENERAL EXPENSE								
66	Labor	4,200.00		4,200.00	4,401.51		201.51	4,450.00
95	Officers' Salaries	2,165.00		2,165.00	2,366.03		201.03	2,295.00
95A	FICA							350.00
97	Office Expense	2,400.00		2,400.00	2,514.60		114.60	3,000.00
100	Legal	750.00		750.00	750.00			750.00
102	Insurance	800.00	8.00	808.00	648.00	160.00		800.00
106	Audit	300.00		300.00	209.76	90.24		300.00
DEBT SERVICE								
32	Capital Reserve	4,000.00		4,000.00	4,000.00			4,000.00
42	Debt Retirement	9,000.00		9,000.00	9,000.00			9,000.00
109	Interest	2,470.00		2,470.00	2,470.00			2,117.00
NEW CONSTRUCTION AND EQUIPMENT								
2	Well Site	60,000.00		60,000.00		60,000.00		100.00
13	Storage Building	100.00		100.00		100.00		100.00
17	Pumping Station Equipment	1,500.00	17.50	1,517.50	803.03	714.47		1,000.00
21	Mains	3,000.00		3,000.00	5,634.10		2,634.10	3,000.00
22	Services	3,000.00	1,570.07	4,570.07	877.69	3,692.38		2,000.00
23	Hydrants	1,000.00		1,000.00	1,203.70		203.70	1,800.00
24	Meters	1,000.00	164.40	1,164.40	168.10	996.30		1,000.00
28	General Equipment	400.00		400.00	979.65		579.65	400.00
	TOTAL	$117,885.00	$1,809.97	$119.694.97	$57,434.90	$66,933.97	$4,673.90	$58,512.00

1976 BUDGET OF THE CENTRAL HOOKSETT WATER PRECINCT
IN THE TOWN OF HOOKSETT, NEW HAMPSHIRE

APPROPRIATIONS OR EXPENDITURES	Actual Expenditures Prior Year	Recommended By Budget Committee
WATER SUPPLY EXPENSE		
68 Pumping Station Maintenance	$ 4,787.25	$ 4,500.00
71 Power Purchased	6,659.31	7,500.00
75 Rent of Well Site	4,750.00	4,750.00
DISTRIBUTION EXPENSE		
85 Maintenance of Mains	150.75	700.00
86 Maintenance of Standpipes	3,042.75	800.00
87 Maintenance of Services	283.46	400.00
88 Maintenance of Hydrants	504.58	800.00
89 Maintenance of Meters	1,230.63	1,600.00
GENERAL EXPENSE		
66 Labor	4,401.51	4,450.00
95 Officers' Salaries	2,366.03	2,295.00
95A FICA-Social Security	---	350.00
97 Office Expense	2,514.60	3,000.00
100 Legal	750.00	750.00
102 Insurance	648.00	800.00
106 Audit	209.76	300.00
NEW CONSTRUCTION & EQUIPMENT		
13 Storage Building	---	100.00
2 Well Site (1975-Art.) 1976 Line Item		100.00
21 Mains	5,634.10	3,000.00
17 Pumping Station Equipment	803.03	1,000.00
22 Services	877.69	2,000.00
23 Hydrants	1,203.70	1,800.00
24 Meters	168.10	1,000.00
28 General Equipment	979.65	400.00
42 Principal of Debt	9,000.00	9,000.00
109 Interest on Debt	2,470.00	2,117.00
32 Capital Reserve Fund - to be raised by taxation	4,000.00	4,000.00
TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS OR EXPENDITURES	57,434.90	57,512.00

SOURCE OF REVENUES AND CREDITS	Actual Revenue For Prior Year	Estimated Revenue For Current Year
Surplus Available to		
Surplus Available to Reduce Precinct Taxes	5,255.41	$ 3,562.43
Hydrant Rentals	5,000.00	5,300.00
Water Rents	30,302.34	31,300.00
Other Revenues & Credits:		
Business Profits Tax	2,571.40	2,571.00
Reimbursements --		
Maintenance of Mains	25.00	
Mains	25.00	
Services	1,570.07	
Meters	164.40	
Pumping Station Equipment	17.50	
Insurance	8.00	
Amounts Raised by Issue of Bonds or Notes (1975 Art.)	---	--
Withdrawals from Capital Reserve Funds	3,000.00	
TOTAL REVENUES EXCEPT PRECINCT TAXES	$ 47,939.12	$ 42,733.43
AMOUNT TO BE RAISED BY PRECINCT TAXES		14,778.57
TOTAL REVENUES AND PRECINCT TAXES		57,512.00

February 11, 1976

Budget Committee:

David Hess	Gerry Handley
Gerald Beauchesne	John Jacobs
Roger E. Hebert	Roger R. Bergeron
M. Lee Harvey	David E. Shaw
William H. Greenaugh	James C. Perkins
Lowell D. Apple	Ralph Page

Vital Statistics

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF HOOKSETT, N. H.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1975

Date of Birth	Place of Birth	Name of Child	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
1974				
Aug. 24	Manchester, N.H.	Brian Joseph Lavigne	Ronald Harold Lavigne	Cynthia Ann Churas
1975				
Jan. 23	Manchester, N.H.	Melissa Lynn Ball	Richard Brian Ball	Brenda Jayce Rabinson
Jan. 25	Concord, N.H.	Haley Erin Fenton	Robert Lee Fenton	Diane Elizabeth Nebesky
Jan. 28	Wolfeboro, N.H.	Mallison Christine Hall	Frank Edward Hall	Beverly Mallison Mildram
Feb. 9	Manchester, N.H.	Sara Lynn Orenstein	Alan Jay Orenstein	Joyce Margaret Langley
Feb. 10	Manchester, N.H.	Sheryl Ann Bernier	Ronald Claude Bernier	Linda Therese Soucy
Feb. 11	Concord, N.H.	Jessica Marie Richard	David Aime Richard	Cindy Lou Therrian
Feb. 21	Manchester, N.H.	Christine Marie Cloutier	Roland Maurice Cloutier	Priscilla Ann Marchand
Feb. 28	Manchester, N.H.	Adam Gerrish Henderson	David Nelson Henderson	Jane Evelyn Fickett
Mar. 7	Manchester, N.H.	Joey Michael LaBonville	Jean Joseph LaBonville	Suzanne Elaine Lavigne
Mar. 20	Manchester, N.H.	Brett Thomas Rickenbach	Thomas Roy Rickenbach	Linda Marie Kate
Mar. 21	Manchester, N.H.	Christopher Steven Cracker	Steven Henry Crocker	Brenda Lu Pinkham
Mar. 25	Manchester, N.H.	Kim Irene Derepentigny	Ruben Joseph Derepentigny	Dale Irene Samson
Apr. 4	Manchester, N.H.	Scott Alan Stanton	Richard Kerwin Stanton	Mary Ann Hayes
Apr. 6	Manchester, N.H.	Dana Anthony Demers	Raymond Gerard Demers	Susan Jose Clay
Apr. 13	Manchester, N.H.	Leslie Anne Smith	Douglas A. Smith	Linda G. Gerber
May 2	Manchester, N.H.	Shelly Marie Ruest	Larry Ernest Ruest	Angela Pauline Cyr
May 7	Manchester, N.H.	Tabitha Renee Elliott	Lloyd Bruce Elliott	Pauline Julie MacEachern
May 11	Manchester, N.H.	Jesse Alan Austin	Roger Fred Austin	Shirley Mae Herbert
May 13	Manchester, N.H.	Jeffrey Michael Stanley	William Stanley Jr.	Judith Diane Whipple
June 8	Manchester, N.H.	Jeffrey Dennis Dunn	Dennis Frank Dunn	JoAnn Irene Cyr
June 10	Manchester, N.H.	Brenna Elizabeth Diane Cavanaugh	Thomas Frank Cavanaugh	Deborah Leah Berkowitz
June 13	Manchester, N.H.	Madeline Lisa Robinson	Walter Alexander Robinson	Ann Temperance O'Meara
June 17	Manchester, N.H.	Angela Leigh Picard	Ralph Jules Picard	Linda Marie Belanger
June 21	Manchester, N.H.	Michelle Lee Ouellette	Frederic Roland Ouellette	Joyce Lorraine Paquette
June 28	Manchester, N.H.	Nicole Marie Pirog	Michael Pirog	Suzanne Anna-Marie Denoncourt
July 1	Manchester, N.H.	Brian Edward Haskell	Robert Wendell Haskell	Constance Farwell
July 2	Manchester, N.H.	Eric Thomas Cady	Thomas Ryan Cady	Suzanne Therese Gauthier
July 5	Manchester, N.H.	Kelly Ann Lavigne	Richard Lucien Lavigne	Sherilyn Mary Gallagher
July 10	Manchester, N.H.	Jasan Julier Blais	Bertrand Oscar Blais	Nancy Dee Perry
July 13	Manchester, N.H.	Sarah Jane Lovett	Michael Wayne Lovett	Jane Mary Morin
July 17	Manchester, N.H.	Peter Pavlopaulos	Christos Peter Pavlopaulos	Evaklia Damianos
July 19	Manchester, N.H.	Jennifer Lee Smith	John Prestan Smith	Allison Rase Goodwin
July 25	Concord, N.H.	Melissa Anne Rondeau	Gary Donald Rondeau	Diane Carol Morgan
July 26	Concord, N.H.	Michael Gary Sleeper	Gary Michael Sleeper	Eva Marie Call
Aug. 7	Manchester, N.H.	Brian Joseph Caldwell	Albert Joseph Caldwell Jr.	Janet Laura Mijal
Aug. 26	Manchester, N.H.	Jennifer Marie Orr	Edwar Leo Orr	Marie D. Basivert
Sept. 7	Concord, N.H.	Marc Ronald Gelinas	Ronald Arthur Gelinas	Sandra Marie Valla
Sept. 10	Manchester, N.H.	Leanna April Leneau	Robert Everett Leneau	Mary Ann Deveikis
Sept. 15	Manchester, N.H.	Amy Louise Dabbs	Peter Andrew Dabbs	Jean Louise McGlynn
Sept. 21	Manchester, N.H.	Michael Edward Collins	Joseph Patrick Collins Jr.	Linda Evelyn Pinard
Sept. 23	Manchester, N.H.	Yvon Alphonse Joseph Gagnon, Jr.	Yvon Alphonse Joseph Gagnon, Sr.	Carol Patricia Fournier
Sept. 23	Concord, N.H.	Aaron William Roy Lambert	Francis Paul Lambert	Arlene Jeanne Labonte
Sept. 23	Concord, N.H.	Eric William Roy Lambert	Francil Paul Lambert	Arlene Jeanne Labonte
Sept. 24	Manchester, N.H.	Paul Roland Lavallee	Paul Benoit Lavallee	Patricia Arline Guay
Sept. 26	Manchester, N.H.	Kurt Russell McHugh	Kenneth Robert McHugh	Joanne Margaret Beaulac
Oct. 5	Manchester, N.H.	Baby Boy Tsiatsios	James Timothy Tsiatsios	Linda Gravas
Oct. 6	Manchester, N.H.	Keith Christopher Gagnon	Robert Raymond Gagnon	Barbara Alma Gaudette
Oct. 8	Manchester, N.H.	Valerie Ann Mento	David Mento	Brenda Lee Jenkins
Oct. 14	Manchester, N.H.	Scott Ronald Soucy	Paul Maurice Soucy	Linda Yvette Sinotte
Oct. 23	Manchester, N.H.	Christopher Phillip Fawaz	Phillip Peter Fawaz	Mary Ann Stantan
Oct. 31	Manchester, N.H.	David James Richard	Paul Omar Richard	Adele-Marie Sibson

Nov. 9	Manchester, N.H.	Andrew Jasan Fletcher	Dean Larry Fletcher	Barbara Ann Paire
Nov. 20	Manchester, N.H.	Terrence Ward Diers	Kenneth Carl Diers	Kathleen Mary Healy
Nov. 20	Concord, N.H.	Marc Wayne Peterson	Wayne Charles Peterson	Betty Jean Cry
Dec. 11	Manchester, N.H.	Allison Leigh Eldridge	Robert Donald Eldridge	Janis Doris Thomas
Dec. 12	Manchester, N.H.	Janathan Ned Kfaury	Paul Robert Kfoury	Sandra Jean Salomon
Dec. 15	Manchester, N.H.	Marc Real Fournier	Richard Roger Fournier	Claire Daneault
Mar. 16	Hooksett, N.H.	Vanessa Lynn Valle	Victor Valle	Margilyn Casselli

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE ABOVE RETURN IS CORRECT, ACCORDING TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE AND BELIEF.

JOYCE A. EMERSON
Town Clerk

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF HOOKSETT, N. H.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1975

Date of Marriage	Name and Surname of Bride and Groom	Residence of Each at Time of Marriage	Name, Residence & Official Station of Persons by Whom Married
1974			
Sept. 20	Bruce Michael Kudrick	Hooksett, N.H.	Rev. Maurice R. Lagueux, Priest
	Paula Jo Annis	Pembroke, N.H.	Allenstown, N.H.
1975			
Jan. 3	Michael Gerald Teehan	Everett, Mass.	Rev. Roger Croteau, Priest
	Jamie Moore	Hooksett, N.H.	Manchester, N.H.
Jan. 11	Richard Henry Cloutier	Manchester, N.H.	Carol A. Boisvert, Justice of Peace
	Elaine Lorraine Boisvert	Hooksett, N.H.	Hooksett, N.H.
Jan. 11	Richard Brian Ball	Hooksett, N.H.	Rufus D. King, Justice of Peace
	Brenda Joyce Robinson	Hooksett, N.H.	Hooksett, N.H.
Jan. 11	Nicholas Jacobson	Hooksett, N.H.	Rev. Willard B. Soper, Pastor
	Patricia Ann Moseley	Portsmouth, N.H.	Manchester, N.H.
Jan. 24	Richard Deus Chandonnet	Hooksett, N.H.	Marilyn Marquis, Justice of Peace
	Carleen Anna Allen	Hooksett, N.H.	Deerfield, N.H.
Jan. 25	John Alan Carignan	Hooksett, N.H.	Rev. LaFayette Pinckney, Minister
	Lori J. Sawyer	Epsom, N.H.	Derry, N.H.
Jan. 25	William Lee Gilbert	Manchester, N.H.	Marilyn P. Dupuis, Justice of Peace
	Jeanie Heather Dufresne	Hooksett, N.H.	Manchester, N.H.
Feb. 1	Arnold Moltis	Hooksett, N.H.	Rev. Willard B. Soper, Pastor
	Sandra Lee Groichen	Manchester, N.H.	Manchester, N.H.
Feb. 15	Kevin Thomas Masewic	Pembroke, N.H.	Rev. Thomas J. Hannigan, Priest
	Susan Dorothy Brisson	Hooksett, N.H.	Manchester, N.H.
Feb. 15	George Edward Long Jr.	Hooksett, N.H.	Rev. Joseph T. Maguire, Priest
	Jacqueline Lucille Landry	Dover, N.H.	Dover, N.H.
Mar. 1	Michael Daniel Cannata Jr.	Manchester, N.H.	Rev. A. Edward Dougherty, Priest
	Linda June Ayer	Hooksett, N.H.	Manchester, N.H.
Mar. 15	Jeffrey John Dutton	Manchester, N.H.	Rev. Ernest Bissonette, Priest
	Tina May Wilkinson	Hooksett, N.H.	Hooksett, N.H.
Mar. 15	Louis Thomas Hudan	Manchester, N.H.	Nicholas Pappageorge, Justice of Peace
	Gloria Mary Gingras	Hooksett, N.H.	Manchester, N.H.
Mar. 29	Richard Harry Morton	Hooksett, N.H.	Rev. John Torosian Sr., Minister
	Pamela Jean Davis	Auburn, N.H.	Haverhill, Mass.
Mar. 29	Peter Sanborn	Hooksett, N.H.	Rev. John P. Nix, Minister
	Patricia Allyn Lavoie	Allenstown, N.H.	Hooksett, N.H.
Apr. 12	Gary Michael Sleeper	Hooksett, N.H.	Rev. Maurice R. Lagueux, Priest
	Eva Marie Call	Pembroke, N.H.	Allenstown, N.H.
Apr. 19	Ronald James Cote	Hooksett, N.H.	Rev. Aime A. Boisselle, Priest
	Denise Therese DeGrace	Manchester, N.H.	Manchester, N.H.
May 3	Raymond Joseph Dionne	Hooksett, N.H.	Rev. Leon L. Frechette, Priest
	June Ann Deneou	Manchester, N.H.	Manchester, N.H.
May 10	George Zogapoulos	Derry, N.H.	Leo Henault, Justice of Peace
	Parmelie Marie Roy	Hooksett, N.H.	Manchester, N.H.
May 12	Ralph Arthur Carey	Hooksett, N.H.	Rev. P. Edgar Thompson, Minister
	Ruth Mamie Smith	Hooksett, N.H.	Hooksett, N.H.
May 23	Thomas Carl Fischer	Manchester, N.H.	Rev. Robert J. Kemmery, Priest
	Horriet Bernadette Burroughs	Hooksett, N.H.	Manchester, N.H.
May 24	James Francis Hayes III	Manchester, N.H.	Rev. George A. Desjardins, Priest
	Michele Denise L'Heureux	Hooksett, N.H.	Manchester, N.H.
May 24	Walter Eugene Lessard	Hooksett, N.H.	Rev. Francis E. Kelson, Priest
	Nancy Ann Goodno	Manchester, N.H.	Manchester, N.H.
May 24	Dana John Morse	Concord, N.H.	Rev. J. Stanley Dahlman, Clergyman
	Linda Dearborn Young	Hooksett, N.H.	Winchester, N.H.
May 25	David Mento	Hooksett, N.H.	Doris T. Lynch, Justice of Peace
	Brenda Lee Jenkins	Candia, N.H.	Manchester, N.H.

June 7	Walter Kenneth Bond Jr.	Merrimack, N.H.	Rev. John P. Nix, Minister
	Linda Ellen Grant	Hooksett, N.H.	Hooksett, N.H.
June 20	Edward Joseph Welch	Manchester, N.H.	Rev. George E. Ham, Priest
	Goil Patricia Scott	Hooksett, N.H.	Bedford, N.H.
June 21	Roger Arthur Douillette	Concord, N.H.	Rev. John P. Nix, Minister
	Eileen Carol Emerson	Hooksett, N.H.	Hooksett, N.H.
June 22	Steven Arnold Green	Hooksett, N.H.	Ezeline Homes, Justice of Peace
	Donna Marie Payeur	Pembroke, N.H.	Manchester, N.H.
June 28	Charles Ernest Woodbury	Hooksett, N.H.	Rev. John P. Nix, Minister
	Janet Mitchell	Hooksett, N.H.	Hooksett, N.H.
June 28	Melvin Leroy Thompson	Derry, N.H.	Roger E. Drolet, Justice of Peace
	Joanne Mary Lindh	Derry, N.H.	Hooksett, N.H.
June 28	Alan Joseph Turcotte	Hooksett, N.H.	Kay A. Tremblay, Justice of Peace
	Debra Jean Stevens	Pembroke, N.H.	Hooksett, N.H.
June 28	Kevin Richard Clapp	Goffstown, N.H.	Rev. John P. Nix, Minister
	Debra Louise Bennet	Hooksett, N.H.	Hooksett, N.H.
July 5	Larry Rudolph Hudon	Manchester, N.H.	Rev. John P. Nix, Minister
	Cheryl Ann Holt	Hooksett, N.H.	Hooksett, N.H.
July 5	Robert Clayton Walker	Hooksett, N. H.	Rev. David B. Shirley, Minister
	Claudette Normonde Vachon	Manchester, N. H.	Manchester, N. H.
July 6	Wayne Peter Dimick	Hooksett, N. H.	Rev. John P. Nix, Minister
	Deborah Lynn Dennis	Manchester, N. H.	Hooksett, N. H.
July 12	Alexis Korakas	Pembroke, N.H.	Rev. Ernest Bissonnette
	Doreen Fernande Nadeau	Hooksett, N.H.	Hooksett, N.H.
July 12	Robert Lawrence Blank	Hooksett, N.H.	Kay A. Tremblay
	Virginia Mary Averill	Hooksett, N.H.	Hooksett, N.H.
July 12	George Elliot Owen	Auburn, N.H.	Rev. Frederick A. Champion, Clergyman
	Judith Lee Raymond	Hooksett, N.H.	Rye, N.H.
July 12	Robert Charles DeLuca	Hooksett, N.H.	Rev. Richard W. Connors, Priest
	Carol Ann Doucet	Hooksett, N.H.	Manchester, N.H.
July 12	Richard Allen Ayer	Hooksett, N.H.	Rev. William P. Neiman
	Karen Eunice Grant	Manchester, N.H.	Manchester, N.H.
July 18	Dennis Arthur Chase	Hooksett, N.H.	Rev. Edward Milonas, Minister
	Elizabeth Ann Eames	Manchester, N.H.	Weare, N.H.
July 19	Steven Joseph Courchesne	Hooksett, N.H.	Rev. Roger H. Croteau, Priest
	Karen Lee Cote	Hooksett, N.H.	Manchester, N.H.
July 19	Ronald Clyde Brooks	Manchester, N.H.	Rev. Paul Glenn, Minister
	Cynthia Margaret Pierce	Manchester, N.H.	Manchester, N.H.
July 19	William Keith Longfellow	Hooksett, N.H.	Rev. John P. Nix, Minister
	Cindy Lee Young	Auburn, N.H.	Hooksett, N.H.
July 21	Ronald Armand Laliberte	Manchester, N.H.	Donald L. Fowler, Justice of Peace
	Bonnie Jane Kretschmar	Hooksett, N.H.	Manchester, N.H.
Aug. 2	Walter Robert Plaisance	Manchester, N.H.	Rev. Ernest Bissonnette, Priest
	Diane Marie Molloy	Hooksett, N.H.	Hooksett, N.H.
Aug. 2	James Harry Blidberg	Hooksett, N.H.	Rev. Richard A. Johnson, Minister
	Nancy Mae Shattuck	Raymond, N.H.	Raymond, N.H.
Aug. 3	Gary Lynn Edwards	Manchester, N.H.	Rev. Paul Glenn, Pastor
	Donna Ellen White	Londonderry, N.H.	Manchester, N.H.
Aug. 9	Peter David Temple	Hooksett, N.H.	Jean W. Putonen, Justice of Peace
	Debra Lynn Gross	Hooksett, N.H.	Sunapee, N.H.
Aug. 22	Thomas William Paris	Hooksett, N.H.	Donald L. Fowler, Justice of Peace
	Nancy Jane Molan	Manchester, N.H.	Manchester, N.H.
Aug. 30	Randolph Todd Whitney	Hooksett, N.H.	Rev. Ernest Bissonnette, Priest
	Beatrice Marion Chevrette	Hooksett, N.H.	Hooksett, N.H.
Sept. 2	Charles Bernard Mitchell	Hooksett, N.H.	Rev. G. L. Wenners, Priest
	Linda Gayle Kelly	Manchester, N.H.	Manchester, N.H.
Sept. 6	Bruce Allan Sprague	Hooksett, N.H.	Rev. John Schule Jr., Pastor
	Lynn Adelle Richardson	Hooksett, N.H.	Henniker, N.H.
Sept. 9	Clark Peter Barnett	Hooksett, N.H.	Charles P. Fellows, Justice of Peace
	Mary Agnes Strocklein	Hooksett, N.H.	Hartford, Vt.
Sept. 13	Ronald Albert Masse	Manchester, N.H.	Rev. William G. Hurst
	Leslie Carol Jones	Hooksett, N.H.	Manchester, N.H.
Sept. 20	David R. Desmarais	Hooksett, N.H.	Rev. Joseph Bucevicius, Priest
	Victoria L. Gale	Auburn, N.H.	Nashua, N.H.
Sept. 20	Dovid Mark Shackford	Hooksett, N.H.	Rev. John P. Nix, Minister
	Shari Lynn Pierson	Hooksett, N.H.	Hooksett, N.H.

Sept. 26	Keith Gordon Borton	Manchester, N.H.	Shirley M. Rivard, Justice of Peace
	Barbara Ann Asprey	Manchester, N.H.	Loconio, N.H.
Sept. 26	Normand Louis Therrien	Manchester, N. H.	Aime A. Boisselle, Priest
	Sally Yee Wing	Hooksett, N. H.	Manchester, N. H.
Sept. 27	Donald Hendrik Kate	Hooksett, N. H.	Rev. Richard Munsey, Priest
	Roxonne Lucille Miville	Manchester, N. H.	Manchester, N. H.
Sept. 27	Rhys Llewellyn, III	Hooksett, N.H.	Raymond W. Limoges, Justice of Peace
	Susan Lee Loiselle	Hooksett, N.H.	Bedford, N.H.
Oct. 3	James Brian Hill	Hooksett, N.H.	Rev. Donold Gilbert, Priest
	Cathleen Ann Dubois	Manchester, N.H.	Manchester, N.H.
Oct. 4	Philip Charles Kenney, Jr.	Marshfield, N.H.	Rufus D. King, Justice of Peoce
	Janice Elinor Koler	Hooksett, N.H.	Hooksett, N.H.
Oct. 4	Horst Manfred Kriwinski	Oaklond, Calif.	Rev. Howard D. Gould, Minister
	Jane Marie Lester	Oakland, Calif.	Pembroke, N.H.
Oct. 11	Richard Marcel Groux	Hooksett, N.H.	Rev. George Chicoine, Priest
	Diane Agnes Gorneau	Laconia, N.H.	Laconio, N.H.
Oct. 20	John Edward Renner	Hooksett, N.H.	Edward E. Matuloitis, Justice of Peoce
	Lucille Anna Biboud	Hooksett, N.H.	Bow, N.H.
Oct. 21	Charles Ernest Dennis	Hooksett, N.H.	Potricia Ramos, Justice of Peoce
	Bonnie Jean Michno	Manchester, N.H.	Monchester, N.H.
Oct. 24	Albert Alfred LaMarche	Hooksett, N.H.	Roger E. Drolet, Justice of Peace
	Sandra Jeon Corignan	Hooksett, N.H.	Hooksett, N.H.
Oct. 25	George Burgess Grant Jr.	Hooksett, N.H.	Rev. John P. Nix, Minister
	Helen Morgaret Libby	Hooksett, N.H.	Hooksett, N.H.
Oct. 25	Wayne Albert Smith	Hooksett, N.H.	Rev. A. Edward Dougherty, Priest
	Nancy Lillian Smith	Hooksett, N.H.	Manchester, N.H.
Nov. 1	Richard William Blake	Auburn, N.H.	Carleen A. Mitchell, Justice of Peace
	Susan Marie St.Laurent	Hooksett, N.H.	Hooksett, N.H.
Nov. 1	Denis Gilles Tremblay	Manchester, N.H.	Rev. Ernest Bissonnette, Priest
	Susan Lee Dinwoodie	Hooksett, N.H.	Hooksett, N.H.
Nov. 1	Richard Dale Towne	Auburn, N.H.	Rev. Maurice W. Richer, Priest
	Doris Cecile Bourgeois	Hooksett, N.H.	Monchester, N.H.
Nov. 8	Donald Wilson Meyer	Nashua, N.H.	Rufus D. King, Justice of Peace
	Madeline Helen Harris	Hooksett, N.H.	Hooksett, N.H.
Nov. 13	Norman Ernest Leeds Jr.	Hooksett, N.H.	Norman A. Hobbs Jr., Justice of Peace
	Elizabeth Clora Leeds	Hooksett, N.H.	Concord, N.H.
Nov. 15	Robert Roland Lussier	Hooksett, N.H.	Rev. Thomas B. Donnelly, Priest
	Gwendolyn Meto Volente	Manchester, N.H.	Londonderry, N.H.
Nov. 20	William Alfred Genre	Hooksett, N.H.	Donald L. Fowler, Justice of Peace
	Judith Aurelia McIntyre	Hooksett, N.H.	Manchester, N.H.
Nov. 22	Glenn Alexander Patterson	Portsmouth, N.H.	Rev. Howard D. Gould, Minister
	Debra Ann Hebert	Hooksett, N.H.	Pembroke, N.H.
Nov. 29	Robert Bradford Gooding	Hooksett, N.H.	Donald L. Fowler, Justice of Peace
	Alice Rose Desruisseaux	Hooksett, N.H.	Manchester, N.H.
Dec. 5	Mark Thoddeus Michalok	Manchester, N.H.	Rev. Ernest Bissonnette, Priest
	Dione Irene Gagnon	Hooksett, N.H.	Hooksett, N.H.
Dec. 27	Alfred Joseph Perreault	Hooksett, N.H.	Roymond N. DeCorse, Justice of Peace
	Shirley Maureen McFall	Hooksett, N.H.	Manchester, N.H.
Dec. 28	Ronald Stephen Vanario	Woltham, Mass.	Rufus D. King, Justice of Peoce
	Carolyn Ann Denoult	Chicopee, Mass.	Hooksett, N.H.
Dec. 29	Michael Grant Rodgers	Covington, Ky.	Rev. Howard Gould Minister
	Nancy Mulaire	Hooksett, N.H.	Pembroke, N.H.

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JOYCE A. EMERSON
Town Clerk

DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF HOOKSETT, N. H.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1975

Date of Death	Place of Death	Full Name of Deceased	Place of Birth	Place of Burial
1975				
Jan. 1	Sturbridge, Mass.	Ngon Hun Yee	China	Bostan, Mass.
Jan. 8	Manchester, N.H.	John Leslie Frazier, Jr.	West Virginia	New Carlisle, Ohio
Jan. 8	Manchester, N.H.	Margaret Hassan	New Jersey	Hooksett, N.H.
Jan. 21	Bedford, N.H.	Normon Arthur Blouin	New Hampshire	Hooksett, N.H.
Jan. 28	Manchester, N.H.	Mary Margaret Kimball	Canada	Hooksett, N.H.
Feb. 5	Allenstown, N.H.	Ruth E. Knight	Gaffstown, N.H.	Hooksett, N.H.
Feb. 14	Hooksett, N.H.	Marie C. VanDenBergh	Belgium	Manchester, N.H.
Feb. 27	Hooksett, N.H.	Paul B. Beauchesne	Manchester, N.H.	Allenstown, N.H.
Feb. 28	Manchester, N.H.	Eva Yvonne Trudeau	New Hampshire	Manchester, N.H.
Mar. 2	Manchester, N.H.	Wallace Ello Karpiak	Louisiana	Bedford, N.H.
Mar. 25	Hooksett, N.H.	Anna M. Krzywda	--	Hooksett, N.H.
Apr. 18	Manchester, N.H.	John C. Flanders	Maine	Bow, N.H.
Apr. 20	Hooksett, N.H.	Douglas Harold Wood	Massachusetts	Everett, Mass.
Apr. 21	Manchester, N.H.	Irving Myers	Massachusetts	Manchester, N.H.
Apr. 29	Hooksett, N.H.	James P. Brennan	Dover, N.H.	Concord, N.H.
May 21	Concord, N.H.	Leona E. Plourde	New Hampshire	Hooksett, N.H.
June 10	Concord, N.H.	Jessie Elliott Hosker	New Hampshire	Hooksett, N.H.
June 14	Hooksett, N.H.	Charles W. McDuffey	Manchester, N.H.	Hooksett, N.H.
Aug. 2	Concord, N.H.	Rachel A. LaFleur	New Hampshire	Hooksett, N.H.
Aug. 5	Manchester, N.H.	Hanarata Zapora	Poland	Gaffstown, N.H.
Aug. 11	Manchester, N.H.	Roger Napoleon Corrier	Hooksett, N.H.	Hooksett, N.H.
Aug. 11	Nashua, N.H.	Walter J. Cose	Massachusetts	Hooksett, N.H.
Sept. 1	Manchester, N.H.	Rebecca M. Benedick	Lewisberry, Pa.	Hooksett, N.H.
Sept. 5	Manchester, N.H.	Gladys H. Campbell	New Hampshire	Hooksett, N.H.
Sept. 14	Manchester, N.H.	Eugene Armand Lobbe	Canada	Manchester, N.H.
Sept. 18	Manchester, N.H.	Harold Schlicht	New Hampshire	Manchester, N.H.
Sept. 22	Manchester, N.H.	Herman C. Pethick	New Hampshire	Hooksett, N.H.
Sept. 12	Hooksett, N.H.	Francis R. O'Brien	New Hampshire	Bedford, N.H.
Oct. 5	Manchester, N.H.	Ethel Lillo Rack	Barton, Vt.	Hooksett, N.H.
Oct. 7	Concord, N.H.	O. Walda Anderson	New Hampshire	Hooksett, N.H.
Oct. 9	Manchester, N.H.	Josephine A. Novelli	Braklyn, N.Y.	Woodside, N.Y.
Oct. 10	Manchester, N.H.	William Haladinski	New Hampshire	Manchester, N.H.
Oct. 14	Concord, N.H.	Cecil H. Urton	Missouri	Concord, N.H.
Oct. 16	Manchester, N.H.	Jennie R. Green	Canada	Quincy, Mass.
Oct. 16	Manchester, N.H.	Peter William Kaklomanos	New Hampshire	Bostan, Mass.
Oct. 22	Manchester, N.H.	Marian B. Whittemore	New Hampshire	Manchester, N.H.
Oct. 26	Manchester, N.H.	Merle Harry Curtis	New Hampshire	Swanzey, N.H.
Oct. 26	Manchester, N.H.	Thomas Joseph Raymond	New Hampshire	Manchester, N.H.
Oct. 27	Manchester, N.H.	John F. Boyle	England	Concord, N.H.
Nov. 7	Manchester, N.H.	Achille Edward Mulaire	New Hampshire	Hooksett, N.H.
Nov. 8	Manchester, N.H.	Raymond N. Dumas	Massachusetts	Manchester, N.H.
Nov. 11	Concord, N.H.	Scott E. Eaton	New Hampshire	Concord, N.H.
Nov. 19	Manchester, N.H.	Eva Cormier	Canada	Hooksett, N.H.
Nov. 21	Manchester, N.H.	Lionel Antonio Lemire	New Hampshire	Bedford, N.H.
Dec. 3	Manchester, N.H.	Lillian Margaret Gardello	Massachusetts	Hooksett, N.H.
Dec. 3	Hooksett, N.H.	Algot A. Anderson	Sweden	Manchester, N.H.
Dec. 7	Hooksett, N.H.	Gertrude F. Irving	New Hampshire	Concord, N.H.

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JOYCE A. EMERSON
Town Clerk

Certificate of Official Recognition

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By the
American Revolution
Bicentennial Administration

John W. Warner

Administrator

. . . . Let us develop the resources of our land, call forth its powers, build up its institutions, promote all its great interests and see whether we also in our day and generation may not perform something worthy to be remembered.

Daniel Webster